

Sun., April 4, 8 p.m. Service Thanksgiving At Carmel "Church of the Prophets"

Hear Rev. Miriam E. Collins, B.A., of Bridge St., Belleville and St. Paul's Senior Choir — Great Praise — Everyone Welcome — Plan to worship and see this Sanctuary

Local Juveniles Drop Final Game To Kincardine 5-4 Saturday

Some Two Thousand Fans View Game Played In The Belleville Memorial Arena

Two costly penalties followed by three goals within the space of one minute and twenty-five seconds spelled defeat for Stirling Juveniles in the final game with Kincardine in the O.M.H.A. Juvenile "C" Playoffs on Saturday night. The game played in Belleville Memorial Arena, drew some two thousand fans from Stirling and surrounding district. Business closed up in this village for the night and practically everyone went to the game. The final score was 5-4 for Kincardine and the round score 9 to 7.

The big "break" of the game for the winners came at the fourteen minute mark of the first period when Hermiston, Stirling's stellar defenceman, drew a two-minute penalty only to be followed to the sin bin by Scott. With a two-man advantage Kincardine swept to the attack and within a minute and twenty-five seconds the score was 3-0. This setback dealt a body blow to the local youngsters and they became badly disorganized.

Midway in the second stanza Farrell put Kincardine four goals up, but led by Hermiston the locals fought back and Ronald Hadley gave the Stirling supporters a chance to cheer when he rapped the disc behind Emmerton to make the count 4-1. Late in the period Hermiston laid a long pass on Milt McGee's stick at the Kincardine blue line and he beat Emmerton on a drive to make it 4-2.

McLeod scored for Kincardine early in the third and the Stirling kids really came to life. They roared to the attack and with a little luck might have pulled the game out of the fire. They kept firing the rubber at Emmerton and Palmer tallied on a pass from "Gerry" McGee to make it 5-3. One minute later he blinked the red light again, this time on a pass from Montgomery. The fans were in an uproar and Stirling battled all the harder. They hit the post twice with the goalie beaten but couldn't net the disc. Kincardine hung on and the final bell saw them champions.

Doug Patterson, of this village, O.M.H.A. executive member, introduced Jack Christie, O.M.H.A. Secretary, commonly known as "Mr. Minor Hockey" and other executive members including Albert Watkins, Peterboro; Dr. Leon Hipwell, Treasurer, of Toronto, and Jim Austin, of Stouffville. He congratulated both teams for a great effort and the Canadian Legion, sponsors of both teams. He also introduced Wilf Burnside and Ray Hermiston, team Captains.

The presentation of the cup was made by Mr. Christie who paid tribute to both teams.

The teams:

Stirling — Parks, Knapton, Scott, Hermiston, Montgomery, M. McGee, G. McGee, Palmer, Hadley, McMurphy, Woods, Anderson, McCrory and Brady.

Kincardine — Emmerton, Burnside, Huntley, Brown, Farrell, Young, McLeod, Sutherland, Don McLeod, Teshe, Manners, Burrows, Walsh and Elliott.

Referees: Ivan Locke and Dave Mitchell, both of Oshawa.

SUMMARY

1st Period	
Kincardine—Sutherland	14.04
Kincardine—Young (Farrell)	14.12
Kincardine—Farrell (Sutherland)	15.29
Penalties — Knapton, Hermiston, Scott, Huntley, Burnside.	
2nd Period	
Kincardine—Farrell	9.35
Stirling—Hadley (McMurray)	10.15
Stirling—M. McGee (Hermiston)	19.20
Penalties — McCrory, Burrows, B. McLeod.	
3rd Period	
Kincardine—Don McLeod (Manners)	6.26
Stirling—Palmer (G. McGee)	15.11
Stirling—Palmer (Montgomery)	16.11
Penalties — Knapton, McMurray, Walsh, Teshe.	

House Numbers In Phone Book

This week local and district Bell Telephone subscribers were issued new directories and for the first time the house numbers are included in the listings. This is a decided improvement and those responsible for this addition to the issue are to be commended.

Loses Part of Finger

Wm. Reynolds, of town, suffered the loss of part of a finger on one hand and had another deeply lacerated in a machine at the Bata Shoe Co. on Thursday last. He was making an adjustment on the machine when it was inadvertently put in motion by the operator.

New Principal Engaged

Mr. Kenneth Gillies, of Geraldton, Ont., has been engaged as Principal of Stirling Public School, his duties to commence in September next. His engagement was necessitated by the resignation of Mr. N. Stewart, who has filled the position for the past two years. The new principal, who is married and has one child, will receive a salary of \$2800.

Shower For Bride-To-Be

Mrs. Katharine Heasman was entertained at supper luncheon on Friday, March 19th at the home of Mrs. Roy Bush and Mrs. Glenn Bush, with Mrs. Ernest Carr, Mrs. Clifford Lansing and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh as co-hostesses. The occasion was a girl's shower prior to her marriage to Mr. David Little, of Belleville.

After the 40 guests received food at "self service" table, they were seated at small suitably decorated tables, the bride-to-be having a place of honour.

The evening was spent in working contests, readings and making the bride's furniture from coloured cardboard proved not only interesting but instructive for the bride. Groups were formed, entertaining with suggestions for the bride, suitable music and singing and the dramatic group especially proved themselves very entertaining and hilarious when they acted future anniversaries.

Mrs. C. Lansing addressed the bride-to-be with a few well chosen words, voicing the good wishes of all for her future, after which Katharine received her gifts of china and linen in a very gracious and appreciative manner.

Katharine, Mrs. Geo. Heasman and Mrs. Little made suitable replies.

Mothering Sunday At St. John's Church

The Church's Mother's Day was celebrated on Sunday at 7.30 p.m. The fourth Sunday in Lent, known as Mothering Sunday is marked annually by the gift of a rose to all mothers in church. The Men's Association purchased six dozen roses and all were given out except eight. Lois Vardy and Marjorie McArthur were in charge of the trays and passed out the roses to the mothers. There were one hundred and twenty people present. Flowers on the altar were in memory of John Stiles, placed there by the family.

The choir, with Miss Ruth Mumby at the organ, sang "Mary the Pure and Lowly Maiden" from "Hymns for the Festivals 1846." Lessons were read by Ralph Andrews and Norman Stewart.

The special preacher was the Rev. Everett Smith, of Christ Church, Belleville, who gave an inspiring sermon on the subject "The Peace of God which passes all understanding."

District Couple Injured In Car Accident

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Montgomery, of Batawa, suffered severe head injuries in a two-car collision on the Queen Elizabeth Way at Niagara Falls on Sunday morning. They had gone to Hamilton on Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Foster, with whom they were driving at the time of the accident.

The Foster car was hit from the rear and Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery who were riding in the back seat, were thrown from the car to the pavement. Both suffered deep cuts on the forehead and were rendered unconscious in the crash. They were taken by ambulance to Niagara Falls Hospital. However, they were able to return home on Monday and are staying with Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Montgomery, of town. Their many friends in Stirling and district hope for their early recovery.

Special Services Mark Reopening "Church of the Prophets"

At an impressive service which included the dedication of furnishings, a sermon by the Chairman of the Belleville Presbytery, Rev. L. S. Throop, the Sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper and the reception of new members, the "Church of the Prophets" at Carmel (Town-Line) was re-opened following complete re-furnishing last Sunday afternoon.

The entire interior woodwork was replaced including the building of new pews and pulpit. The floor was recovered and surfaced with battleship linoleum. A new oil burner stove with fan was installed and provision made for a new coat rack. All new woodwork was varnished and the floor treated under the careful and experienced hand of Mr. Everett Cooke. The woodwork including designing was done by Mr. Hector Eggleton.

The transom and doors were secured from Mr. Floyd Armstrong, while the stained glass work was done by the old firm of Robt. McCausland & Sons. The materials for the interior work were secured from the Stirling Lumber Company.

Pulpit Apron

The beautiful pulpit apron with the crest of the United Church of Canada was the gift of Mr. Wesley B. Steinhauer, of Glen Ross. This gift was made in loving memory of his father, the Rev. Egerton Ryerson Steinhauer, son of the Rev. Henry B. Steinhauer, pioneer Missionary in the great North West. The donor was born in the Parsonage, served with the Second Battalion of the Canadian Expeditionary Force in World War I and was Regimental Sergeant Major of the 13th Field Regiment Royal Canadian Artillery in World War II. Mr. and Mrs. Steinhauer were welcomed by the Ministers and Elders to membership in the Church at Carmel on transfer from Central United Church, Calgary. This fine couple will bring a priceless heritage to the work at Carmel.

Baptism

Duane Richard Pyear, Pyearside Farm, was presented by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyear and dedicated to the Lord in Baptism at this historic service. The rite was performed by the Minister of the Church who said "with the sign of the cross Duane Richard I baptize thee in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, Amen." Duane was born in Rawdon Township, July 25th, 1953. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Robson.

Special Praise

Mrs. Arthur Pyear, church organist and choir leader, presented two resonant anthems whose titles are indicative of their appropriateness — "Lift Up Your Heads" and "Onward Christian Soldiers." These were well sung. The solo in the first anthem was interpreted by Mr. Douglas Pyear.

Among the out-of-town visitors were Mr. Roscoe Robson, M.P.P., and Miss Robson, of Holloway; The Warden of Hastings County and Mrs. Fred Mitchell; Mrs. Jack Johnston, of

Bride and Groom of Forty Years Were Honoured

On Friday evening last, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Luery, John St., entertained in honour of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luery, who observed their fortieth wedding anniversary on Thursday.

The bride and groom of forty years were the recipients of numerous congratulatory messages, cards and gifts, including a hammered aluminum tray from members of the family, a large oil painting from Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Luery and one dozen roses from Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bell. Cards were enjoyed, after which Mr. C. Tummon proposed a toast to the honoured couple, and the groom made an appropriate reply.

Dainty refreshments, including a decorated anniversary cake, were served by the hostess to bring a happy evening to a close.

Hastings; Mrs. Arthur Holgate and Mr. Frank Windsor, of Caniffon; Mrs. Don Terry, of Murray; Mr. and Mrs. H. Farrell, of Trenton and Mrs. Lillie Windsor, of Haliburton. Members of the Mount Pleasant congregation (Rawdon) and St. Paul's Stirling were also present in goodly numbers. Elders from St. Paul's who sat in the Elder's pew and shared with those of Carmel were Messrs. Geo. Carlisle, Fred Bateman and Walter Elliott.

Clergy

The Chairman of the Presbytery performed the dedicatory rites and presided at the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. He was supported by Rev. W. S. Irwin who read the Sacramental Prayer; Rev. R. R. Bonsteel and the Minister of the Church, Carmel Elders who shared in serving were Messrs. Harry Brown (Clerk of Session), and Joseph Grills. "Squire" Frank Bailey, Elder of Carmel, sat with the Stirling Elders.

Sermon

In a message following the conveying of congratulations on behalf of the Presbytery, Rev. L. S. Throop declared the beautification of the House of God was a commendable and praiseworthy undertaking, nevertheless it was secondary to the everyday practice of Christian virtues. Profession must be accompanied by performance. This impressive message was punctuated with convincing illustrations. Rev. R. R. Bonsteel offered the prayer of intercession and Mr. Roscoe Robson read the Scripture Lesson as printed in the Book of Common Order for such occasions.

Decorations

Several baskets of cut flowers graced this beautiful sanctuary. These included baskets from Mrs. Myron Bray, of Rochester, in loving memory of her husband who recently entered his rest. Mrs. Bray is a sister of Mrs. Lorne Brooks, the unexcelled Flower Convener of the Carmel Church.

Ushers and Offering

The duty Stewards were Messrs. Ernest Carlisle and Everett Grills. Special offerings were received. These were in excess of \$200 for pews alone. A complete list of pew donors will be published in April. The participation by friends in Stirling and other outside points has been greatly esteemed.

Despite a heavy rain and gathering fog banks chairs were added to the spacious sittings to seat the congregation. Many congratulations were extended especially to the Woman's Association of Carmel who have spearheaded this major undertaking. These tireless women who never refuse any opportunity to make a dollar for the Lord's work are worthy. They sustain the finest traditions of their association and of the former Ladies' Aid Society.

The re-opening celebration will continue with a special service next Sunday evening at 8 p.m. with the Stirling Choir and the Rev. Miriam Collins participating guests.

Salary Schedule And Cumulative Sick Leave Requested By Teachers

Fractures Hip

Mrs. W. L. Anderson, Edward St., sustained a fracture of her right hip when she fell on the steps leading from her home last evening. Dr. E. A. Carleton was summoned and she was taken to Belleville General Hospital by Duffin's Ambulance. An operation to pin the fracture is being done this (Thursday) afternoon.

Sells Service Station

After being in business in Stirling for the past twenty-two years, Eldin Lawrence has disposed of his service station to A. R. Wanamaker, of town. The business deal was completed today (Thursday).

Paper Collection Successful

Stirling Scouts were out in full force on Saturday for their paper collection. Some six tons of paper were gathered and the organization will realize \$50.00 for their efforts. The boys and their leaders are deeply appreciative of the co-operation given them by citizens of the village.

Stirling W.I. Euchre Party

The Stirling Women's Institute Euchre Party was held in the Community Hall Monday evening of this week. This was the final euchre party of the season. The society has been well satisfied with the proceeds of the series of card parties and do appreciate the continuous attendance.

Prize winners for this party were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Luella Bronson; ladies' low, Mrs. Free, River Valley; gent's low, Mrs. Sybble Smith (playing as a man); gent's low, Mr. Louis Rodgers.

The committee in charge of the party consisted of Mrs. L. Rodgers, Mrs. W. C. West, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. Stevenson and Mrs. Helen Saries.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke, of town, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, Ridge Road. Miss Cora Leavitt, of Belleville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Fred Thrasher, of town.

Miss Lenora Williams has returned to Toronto after spending the past few weeks in Stirling.

Mrs. Robert Cox and Mary Ann, of Belleville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mayhew, Warren and Susie, of Gananoque, and Mrs. Ed. Mayhew, of Maple Leaf, spent the week-end with Wm. Vardy's.

Mrs. N. E. Eggleton is spending this week in Hamilton at the home of her son, Dr. Fred Eggleton, and Mrs. Eggleton.

Mrs. H. David returned home on Saturday last, after spending a month in Ottawa with her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Smith, Mr. Smith and family. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Luery, of Toronto, spent the week-end with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Johnston, of Almonte, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith and Mr. and Mrs. F. Percival, Ridge Road.

Mrs. Earl Luery is spending this week in Ottawa a guest of S/L and Mrs. Desmond Jackman and Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Cowan.

John MacDonald and Ross H. Hermiston, of Queen's University, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hermiston. John's home is in Campbellton, N.B.

Sunday dinner and supper guests at Wm. Vardy's were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Mayhew, Gail and Wilma and Mrs. Ed. Mayhew, of Maple Leaf; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mayhew, Warren and Susie, of Gananoque; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kellar and Douglas of West Hunt-Ingdon, and Mr. and Mrs. David Mumby and baby, of Moira.

Assistant Teachers Offered Re-engagement — Sports Equipment To Be Bought

A request from the staff of the Public School for the inauguration of a salary schedule and cumulative sick leave was contained in a letter tabled at the regular monthly meeting of the Public School Board on Monday night. Chairman W. H. Donnan presided and was supported by Messrs. E. Fox, R. A. Patterson, E. D. Ketcheson and C. E. West.

Chairman Donnan introduced the matter of providing transportation to Tweed for the pupils of the local school to the music festival sponsored by the Centre Hastings Inspectorate, and on motion of Messrs. Fox and Ketcheson it was decided to hire a bus for this purpose.

The absence of sports equipment for volleyball was noted and its purchase and the installation of the required posts were authorized on motion of Messrs. Patterson and West.

Mrs. Jack McCaughen interviewed the Board relative to the purchase of a vacuum cleaner for the school. On motion of Messrs. Patterson and Ketcheson the purchase of the cleaner from Jack's Appliance Shop for \$99.50 was authorized.

A letter was tabled from Inspector G. W. Nelson regarding regulations on engagement of teachers, and left in the hands of the teachers' committee.

Salary Schedule Discussed

The questions of a salary schedule and cumulative sick leave were discussed at some length by the Board. No action will be taken on the salary schedule at present and the Board turned "thumbs down" on the cumulative sick leave.

Offered Re-engagement At Same Salary

On motion of Messrs. R. E. Fox and C. E. West the teachers' committee was authorized to offer the assistant teachers on the staff re-engagement at the same salary.

The installation of an electric light over the school entrance was authorized on motion of Messrs. Fox and West.

The purchase of some necessary tools for use around the school was also authorized on motion of Messrs. Patterson and Fox.

The following accounts were presented for payment:

R. A. Hermiston	\$ 7.85
McIntosh & Wells	1.25
Globe & Mail	12.80
Telegram	11.20
Duffin's	1.25
Stirling Wholesale	57.40
G. B. Noble	1.29
Shell Oil Co.	204.54
E. D. Ketcheson	92.00
J. W. Wright	46.00
Mrs. Dalrymple	9.00
Mrs. F. Long	99.00

- COMING EVENTS -

THE GIRL GUIDES AND BROWNIES are holding a Cookie Day on May 8th. Please help them by ordering before hand. They will be delivered to you on Cookie Day. Thank you. 17-1

THREE-ACT COMEDY PLAY AND Pie Social, "Mr. Bean from Lima," in Carmel Jubilee Hall; Friday, April 9th at 8 o'clock sharp, presented by George St. Young People's of Peterborough and sponsored by Carmel Young Adult Group. Admission: Adults 60c; children 35c. 17-2

FISH AND CHIP SUPPER AUSPICED by St. John's Men's Club, held in St. John's Church, each Friday in Lent at 6 p.m. Admission, adults 70c; children 40c; take-out order 50c, to be ordered before 5 p.m. 12-6

DANCING 9 P.M. TO 1 A.M. EVERY Friday at Edgewater Park, Campbellford. Round and Square dancing. The latest in modern and old time. Jack McCaughen and the Trent Valley Ramblers. Songs, requests, fun and prizes. Refreshment booth. Admission 50 cents. 12-11

Over 400 Delegates Attend Belleville Presbyterial Meeting At Napanee

The annual meeting of the Belleville Presbyterial of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada was held in Grace United Church, Napanee, on Wednesday last. Mrs. C. D. McLellan, Napanee, presided throughout the day.

In her opening address she said as she came to the end of her term of office, she would like to leave with the delegates her creed, "I believe in the W.M.S." and she gave three points bearing out her creed: "world-wide outreach; God cares for us; He wants us; He cares for every living soul on this earth." Mission — We have to tell others; we have to let them know there is a God who cares and loves them and wants them to live more abundant lives. Sacrifice — Is any organization worth anything if it does not make demands upon its members?

Miss Dorothy Young, home organization executive secretary, was loaned to the Presbytery by the Dominion Board for the day. She gave a most interesting address in the forenoon on "The Christian Mission," the theme of the rally. She said "people have been trying to define the phrase 'Christian Mission,' and she urged people to continue to think about it. We need full time Christian Service representatives, people who are set apart to spend their lives in the service of the Christian Church — Evangelists.

Mrs. Harry Coote Smith, secretary for India, and a short-time missionary nurse to that country, conducted a "buzz" and here the delegates were given an opportunity to present their problems and make all inquiries they wanted; here they were able to get their correct first hand information from leaders who know.

C.G.I.T. Sees Film

The C.G.I.T. were invited to see the movie film, "People Without Fear," shown at the supper hour for the executive; the same film was shown again to the assembly. Mrs. Smith wore a lovely Indian earl made of the finest printed silk and a genuine cashmere shawl.

During the evening session, Mrs. Smith showed colored pictures of that beautiful country, India, and of work among the Christians in hospitals and schools. She had been in India only three years but had learned to love the country and the people.

The literature department of the W.M.S. has many books on the study of India. Mrs. Pierce Jones, literature secretary, introduced books and exhibited many throughout the day.

Worship Service

The worship services of the day were taken by members of the conference branch executive, Mrs. Albert Empey, "The Individual in the Christian Mission;" Mrs. W. B. May, "Unity in the Christian Mission," and Mrs. E.

S. Denyes, "Commitment to the Christian Mission."

Mrs. B. M. Black, Grace United Church organist gave her faithful service at the organ all day most willingly and cheerfully. The choir, under the leadership of Mrs. R. N. Wightman, led in the evening service of praise and sang the beautiful anthem, "Lovely Appearance," by Gounod.

Mrs. S. W. Spafford, president of the Conference Branch, conducted a most impressive "In Memoriam Service" for the 36 members of W.M.S. who have entered higher service.

Officers Installed

The installation of officers was conducted by Mrs. Harry Coote Smith when solemn promises were made to study and work for the kingdom of God. Following is the new executive:

past president, Mrs. C. D. McLellan; president, Mrs. Lincoln Elliott, of Tweed; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Fred Wilson, Belleville; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. G. Minielly, Trenton; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. W. D. Grant, Holloway; 4th vice-president, Mrs. P. C. Barnett, Tweed; 5th vice-president, Mrs. G. Stinson, Tamworth; 6th vice-president, Mrs. C. W. Neelands, Deerpark; 7th vice-president, Mrs. C. E. Hicks, Wellington; recording secretary, Mrs. T. H. Kerr, Picton; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Clarence Holmes, Belleville; treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Jones, Tweed; secretary of Christian stewardship, Mrs. R. G. Coulter, Belleville; secretary of Mission Circles, Mrs. Lyl Hicks, Cherry Valley; secretary for affiliated C.G.I.T. Groups, Mrs. W. K. Pace, Tweed; secretary of Mission Bands, Mrs. C. A. Mooney, of Napanee; assistant to Mrs. Mooney, Mrs. D. W. Folkard; secretary of Baby Bands, Mrs. Don Williams, Belleville; associate members' secretary, Mrs. W. Rollins, Cooper; supply secretary, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Trenton; community friendship secretary, Mrs. E. Burnside, Madoc; literature secretary, Mrs. P. Jones, Picton; Missionary Monthly and World Friends Secretary, Mrs. Clayton Tice, Wellington; secretary of Christian citizenship, Mrs. M. R. Davidson, R. R. 7, Belleville; press secretary, Mrs. Earl Eggleston, Stirling.

Presentation Made

In recognition of outstanding Christian leadership the four years that Mrs. C. D. McLellan has been president of the Belleville Presbyterial, she was presented with a book by Mrs. C. Holmes on behalf of the executive. Mrs. C. A. Mooney, secretary of Mission Bands, gave two groups of Affiliated Explorers and 34 Bands. Mrs. P. Jones gave reading awards to six auxiliaries who had done the most reading.

Mrs. Charles Hyde read the report of the courtesy committee.

Well over 400 delegates and visitors from 49 Afternoon Auxiliaries, 11 Evening Auxiliaries and 27 affiliated societies with a membership of 2,310 attended.



Edward A. Simmons

Edward Simmons Trenton Druggist Dies On Trip

Stricken suddenly on his way home from a two-months holiday in the Hawaiian Islands, prominent businessman, Edward A. Simmons, of Trenton, died in St. Luke's Hospital in San Francisco, California, on Saturday last. Mr. Simmons was 61.

According to information received, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons had left the cruise ship only a short time when Mr. Simmons suffered a fatal coronary attack.

A graduate of the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Mr. Simmons went to Trenton in 1919. He was born in Guelph and obtained his formal education in Hamilton schools.

Active in Rotary Club work Mr. Simmons was a past district governor of Rotary International. He was past president of the Trenton club and a charter member.

Fraternally Mr. Simmons was a Mason and served a term as Master of Trent Lodge No. 38. He was affiliated with Barton Masonic Lodge at Hamilton before moving to Trenton. He was a charter member and past patron of Trenton Chapter No. 118 of the Order of the Eastern Star. He was past president of the Trenton Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Simmons was a member of King Street United Church, Trenton.

Surviving are his wife Trilby Simmons, two sons, Dr. Edward Simmons on the staff of the Toronto General Hospital and Wayne Simmons, Trenton. A brother in New York City and three granddaughters also survive.

Norwood Tax Rate 90 Mills

After two sessions lasting a total of seven hours, Norwood Council struck a tax rate of 90 mills for 1954.

This rate will raise a total of \$39,917.25 for municipal spending, with an added \$2,000 for general revenue. This will be complemented by provincial grants totalling just under \$68,000, the bulk of which is made up of the new unconditional per-capita grants, with an estimated \$28,000 for education, roads and relief.

Sorry Day of No Dairy Surplus

Welfare Minister Goodfellow said on Thursday last it will be "a sorry day if we ever reach the point where the dairy industry has no surplus."

Speaking to the Perth County Federation of Agriculture, he said if the dairy industry ever fails to produce a surplus, no government could prevent the manufacture or import of substitutes.

"A small surplus helps to determine prices," he said.

Floyd Loveless Heads C of C At Marmora

Floyd R. Loveless, well-known business man, was elected president of Marmora and District Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of directors held on Wednesday evening of last week following a dinner at Crawford Ihey's restaurant, Marmora Heights.

Other officers are: Vice-president, Harold Olsen; secretary, Carl McCoy; treasurer, Alex F. Fraser. There was a good attendance of members at the general meeting at which the names of the new directors were announced. The directors are planning to fix a regular date for the monthly meeting.

Vancouver is the third largest city in Canada.

Summer Camps Sponsored By Crippled Children Society -- Buy Seals

Steel gets hot and heavy in the summertime . . . especially if its wrapped around a thin, white leg that has been crippled by polio or some other disease and can't run, pedal a bicycle or even walk.

And when the last school bell rings before the holidays and the green hills and blue lakes to the north start tantalizing even the well and happy children . . . how much greater must be the yearning of the helpless, crippled child to get away from the city's heat, to sit on a mossy bank and fish or just throw down his crutches and sleep in the shade.

At five beautiful summer camps, which are owned and operated by the Ontario Society for Crippled Children, 1,200 — more handicapped children than have ever been to camp before — will this year enjoy three wonderful weeks of sunshine, laughter and the best medical, surgical and nursing care available.

Because of the successful sale of Easter Seals in other years and the assistance and financial backing of Ontario's service clubs, two new camps have been added this year — Lakewood and Northwood.

At these children's paradises — "Blue Mountains" near Collingwood on Georgian Bay; "Woodeden" near London on the Thames river; "Merrywood" on Rideau Lake near Smith's Falls; "Lakewood" on Lake Erie and "Northwood" on Kirkland Lake — youngsters who, because of their handicaps, have never been away from home overnight, experience the brightest spot in their lives when they sleep out under the stars, cook their own meals over an open fire and really "rough it" for 21 unforgettable days.

The special equipment and facilities at these camps are maintained and enlarged under the direction of a local committee consisting of members of the 195 service clubs associated with the Ontario Society for Crippled Children. All are recognized by the Ontario Provincial Department of Health as Convalescent hospitals.

The number of staff and children at each camp varies. Woodeden, for example, has 70 children at a time with a staff of 40. Northwood, one of the new camps, has a group of 40 and a staff of 30. Usually a registered nurse on the staff of the Ontario Society for Crippled Children is in charge as a superintendent and she is assisted by a varied group of physiotherapists, medical men, cooks, swimming instructors, counsellors and arts and crafts teachers.

With the discovery of new cases of crippled children in Ontario, new and larger camps will be needed in the future. Help make sure this most important phase on the long road to complete rehabilitation is not left out or their lives. Buy Easter Seals between now and April 18th and help the Ontario Society for Crippled Children to reach its objective of \$500,000.

Holloway

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Morris, of Hamilton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Stanley.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith on the arrival of a new baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen, Don and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kingston, of Foxboro, spent a day re-



J. B. McGREACHY

A veteran Canadian journalist who has covered important events throughout the world, J. B. McGreahy brings his considerable knowledge of international affairs into use in such programmes as "Week-End Review" and "CBC News Roundup," both heard on the CBC Trans-Canada network. Making his home in Toronto where he is associate editor of the Globe and Mail, Mr. McGreahy also acts as moderator on the quiz show, "Now I Ask You," on the same network.

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cently in Toronto where they attended the Sportsmen's Show in the afternoon and a hockey game in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend, Douglas and Ralph, called on Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Foster, at Moira, on Sunday.

Kum Double Club

The Kum Double Club held their last meeting at the home of Lorna and Embury Hough. The conveners were Mary and Alfred Stanley. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Leda and Kenneth Denyes. The Club was recently entertained by the Carmel Adult Group of the Stirling Circuit and a most enjoyable evening of fellowship was spent together.

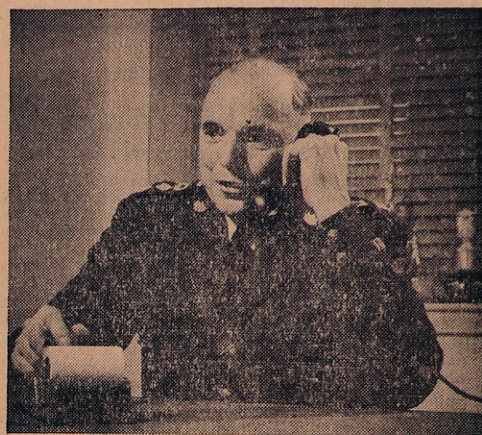
W.A. and W.M.S. Meeting

The W.A. and W.M.S. meeting was held last week with a large attendance

at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sine. The worship service for the meeting was taken from the Missionary Monthly, with the President, Mrs. Gordon Roth in charge. Mrs. Jack Best was in charge of the study book and was taken in parts by Mrs. Embury Hough, Mrs. Gordon Roth, Mrs. Gordon Kennedy, Mrs. Coleman Townsend and Mrs. Elmer Tufts.

Mrs. Herb Townsend was appointed delegate at Napanee on March 24th.

In the absence of the W.A. President, Mrs. Harry McMullen, the First Vice-President, Mrs. Coleman Townsend, took charge of the W.A. meeting. The next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Roscoe Robson in the form of a pot luck dinner and quilting. After the closing prayer a lovely lunch was served by the hostess and her helpers.



On the job, Chief Wilford F. Young, Brockville police head for the past sixteen years. Brockville youngsters know him as the founder and athletic director of the Police Athletic Association; the trophies behind his desk were won by boys' and girls' athletic teams and the 50-girl bugle band sponsored by the Association.

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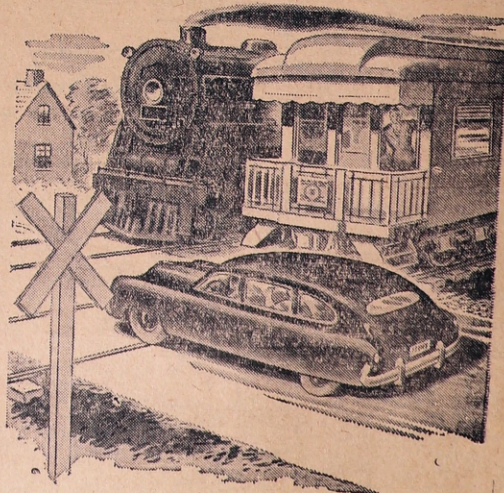
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SUPPORT EASTER SEAL CAMPAIGN

Time for indoor games at Woodeden Camp. The young lady shown above is being assisted by staff nurse into camp's new recreation building. The Ontario Society for Crippled Children owns and operates five crippled children's camps throughout the Province. Annual Easter Seal Sale opened on March 18th and will run until April 18th and has an objective of \$500,000.

St. Paul's—Carmel News Items

(By Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E.)

Temple of Fame

The observance of Centennial Year at St. Paul's has found emphasis chiefly in special Sunday Services. Through the week pageantry and social gatherings have not been initiated either by officials or societies to any marked degree.

It is of interest to recall a program sponsored by the Ladies' Union Dec. 3rd, 1915, given in the Stirling Opera House. It is recorded in the Stirling News-Argus at that time in part:

"The Stirling Orchestra was composed of Mrs. W. S. Martin, pianist; Mrs. Tice, S. A. Murphy, E. Moynes, E. Tice and E. Luey.

The Quartet were Messrs. Cook, Eggleton, G. Cook and E. C. Moynes. Mrs. Hudgins, of Madoc, representing the goddess, entered first wearing a graceful gown of white lace and silver trimming with court train. Her attendants, Misses Thrasher and Stewart were pretty white frocks. Two bright little maids, Blanche Hadley and Dorothy Morton were the crown bearers.

Mr. W. Brough, the Herald, in costume of purple and hat with white plume, announced the different characters as they entered and bowed to the goddess, each one telling her why they should receive the crown.

The guards, Messrs. Butler, Cook, Hatton and Linn wore coats of red. The pages Cecil Walt and Stewart Elliott were in white.

The scene was a brilliant one. Mrs. W. Graham the "Queen of Sheba" was arrayed in all the splendour of olden time while Mrs. Eggleton in her royal robes of purple and lace represented "Queen Isabella" of Spain. Miss Edna Elliott represented "Cleopatra" the famous ancient beauty and favourite in court circles. She was attended by the Misses Hubbell and McGuire in pretty costumes. Miss Cook personified "Queen Wilhemena" of Holland and in black and gold with court train. Mrs. Corrigal as "Mary Queen of Scots" looked regal in her robe of black with white ruff.

Miss Caldwell represented "Joan of Arc"; Mrs. G. G. Thrasher, "Harriet Beecher Stowe" in gown of gray satin; Mrs. Isabelle Cook as "Topsy" was very amusing; Miss Taylor as "Canada" wore a Canadian emblem and maple leaves. Helen of Troy (Miss Skinner); Florence Nightingale (Miss Morton); Flora McDonald (Miss Sables); Ruth (Miss Currie); Hypatia (Mrs. Lowery); Mrs. Partington (Mrs. Dixon); Iko (James Dixon); Bridget O'Flanagan and Mike (Miss G. Graham and T. Eggleton).

Italian violinist (Mrs. P. Watts); Barbara Frieche (Miss Morton); Martha Washington (Miss Terrill); Helen Hunt Jackson (Miss Kingston); Laura Secord (Miss Currie); Tabitha Primrose (Miss B. Ashley) Erin (Miss Dixon); Grace Darling (Miss Morton); Mother Goose (Mrs. Moynes); Miss Muffitt (Beatrice Moynes); Jenny Lind (Miss Bissonette); Patti (Miss Richardson).

Joshua Allen's wife (Miss E. Bailey); Miriam (Miss Sables); Her maidens (Misses Hatton, Conley, Elliott, Dixon and Tyrell); Pocahontas (Mrs. Hawkins); an ideal Indian Princess, Britannia was represented by Miss Currie with Union Jack, shield and the trident.

Miss Clara Martin was the star of the evening as "Maggie Mucklepocket" a Scotch fish wife selling "Callow

Herrin." Mrs. T. Cook represented "Motherhood" while Miss B. Gay impersonated "Queen Mary" in white lace and silver with jewelled crown. The program closed with a tableau of all characters.

Regrets

Rev. E. W. Rowland, of Peterboro, former Pastor, setn sincere regrets for his inability to be present for the reopening services at Carmel last Sunday. He wrote: "I think of you all at Carmel with affection and I pray that you may have very successful and helpful services. You are to be congratulated on the very marked progress you are making."

Other Furnishings

In addition to those recently chronicled Carmel has also been furnished during this Pastorate with a solid oak Communion Table and Baptismal Font. The kitchen has also been modernized with warming closet etc.

Ban on Masonry

The Sentinel of March 18th reports that the Roman Catholic Bishops of the Philippines have issued a pastoral letter excommunicating all members of Masonic organizations. Those who become Masons may not receive the Sacraments, serve as sponsors or witnesses at baptism, confirmation and marriage or be buried in Roman Catholic cemeteries.

"There is a general feeling that the effect of this pastoral will be more likely to advance than retard the cause of Masonry in the Philippines."

Louis Braille

A special stamp has been issued in the U.S.A. to mark the Centennial of Louis Braille. It carries the words: "Light-bearer to the world of darkness." Louis Braille was born in 1809 and died in 1852. The Braille language has been a great blessing to the sightless.

Girl's Camp

Word has been received that a Girl's Camp for ages 12, 13 and 14 will be held at Quin-Mo-Lac from July 3rd to 13th, under the Belleville Girl's Work Board. This camp will be open to all girls up to capacity, irrespective of residence. Total cost \$14.00, which includes the registration fee of \$3.00 which must be sent with application to Mrs. A. C. Burrows, 111 Hastings Drive, Belleville, Ont.

The Late

Burton C. Tucker

St. Paul's and Carmel folk extend their sincere sympathy to the loved ones of the late Burton C. Tucker. Mr. Tucker will be missed. He was a devoted official and Sunday School worker at Bethel (Rawdon). He has left a challenge to younger men by his example and sincerity.

Overseas Clothing

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of St. Paul's, Stirling, extends a pressing invitation to all citizens to share in the appeal for clothing for Korea. The following articles are most useful and most urgent.

(A) Clothing — For men, for women, for children. Clothing of all kinds. Good clean second hand or new articles.

(B) Bedding — Blankets, quilts and tailor's samples. (The latter can be made into quilts by Korean women).

(C) Yarns — Skeins, odd ends and knitting needles.

(D) Sewing Materials and supplies — Buttons, needles, cotton thread, pins, flannelette.

(E) Socks and Mitts. (Socks are most needed).

Articles may be left at the Church or with Mrs. Earl Eggleton, 82 Front St., Stirling.

Birthday

Birthday greetings were extended in St. Paul's Sunday School last Sunday to Lorraine Short, Joan Francis, Mrs. H. Donnan, Patricia Fraser, Mrs. A. E. Baker and Douglas Thrasher. Each were given a birthday pin.

Peel Vote

A special offering was received for the Citizens' Committee of Sidney at St. Paul's Church Sunday morning.

A member of the "Cherub Choir" in the person of Susan West, sang her maiden solo in the Church last Sunday. Miss Wendy Warren sang with grace and poise the lovely "All in the April Evening." The Senior Choir were a benediction in "God is a Spirit" while the Royal Choir revealed its diction training in their anthem.

Warning! Beware!

It is creditably reported that a municipality in which intoxicating beverages are sold gets twenty per cent of the Provincial gallonage tax. Out of every fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) spent on booze the municipality gets only one hundred dollars (\$100). The municipality is required to provide police protection and to meet the increased welfare obligations. Not even a municipality can drink itself into prosperity.

The chief of police of New Toronto says 85% of all accidents on the Lake Shore Road have liquor as a factor.

To Keep A True Lent

Is this a Fast, to keep
The larder lean,
And clean
From fat of veals and sheep?

Is it to quit the dish
Of flesh, yet still
To fill
The platter high with fish?

Is it to fast an hour,
Or rag'd to go
Or show
A downcast look and sour?

No: 'tis a Fast to dole
Thy sheaf of wheat
And meat,
Unto the hungry soul.

It is to fast from strife,
From old debate
And hate;
To circumscribe thy life.

To show a heart grief-rent;
To starve thy sin,
Not bin;
And that's to keep thy Lent.

—Robert Herrick, 1591-1634

Self denial gifts for the fourth week are returnable next Sunday. Everyone is challenged to make April a banner month.

WHAT OTHERS SAY!

MAN'S GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT

When man first learned to separate the different sounds he could make with his mouth, and combine them into words, he discovered the secret that distinguishes him from all other living creatures; and made possible all the progress he has made beyond that of any other animal.

For making words was the first step in intelligent communication with his fellows, in the comparing of ideas, the adding together of the thoughts of all, and the beginning of reason.

The invention of writing and later of printing were wonderful as means of putting thoughts on paper or stone; but the formation of words was the beginning of knowledge.

It has always been, and still is the only means by which men can be swayed.

The greatest Englishman of all time was Shakespeare, the master of the language. The outstanding man of the present century, who rallied the unprepared world to resist the onslaught of Hitler's hordes, was Churchill — the master of language.

Yet there are those among our educators who would relegate the study of language to a minor position on our school curricula.

It is not surprising that some men would exchange the vital things of life for the unimportant. But it is surprising to see such men in control of our educational system.

John. "So Jane broke your engagement. Didn't you tell her about your rich uncle."

Jim: "Yeh. Now she's my aunt."

West Huntingdon Endeavour's Class

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCurdy entertained the members of the West Huntingdon "Endeavour's Class" for their March meeting with a fair attendance of members present.

Mrs. George Ashley presided. Mr. Philip Carr offered prayer and Mr. Arthur Wilson conducted the Scripture reading. Mr. Mac Sables gave a humorous reading. Mrs. W. J. Fitchett and Marilyn contributed a duet.

Mr. W. H. Farrow introduced the guest speaker, Miss Mayers, of Thomasburg. Miss Mayers brought a most inspiring message and Thomasburg is to be congratulated in having a teacher in their school of such a personality as Miss Mayers.

Mrs. Frank Hammond voiced the appreciation of the Class to Miss Mayers and all those who assisted with the programme. Mr. Farrow favoured with a solo.

In the business period it was decided to visit St. Andrew's Club the 2nd of April and the Marsh Hill group on April 9th.

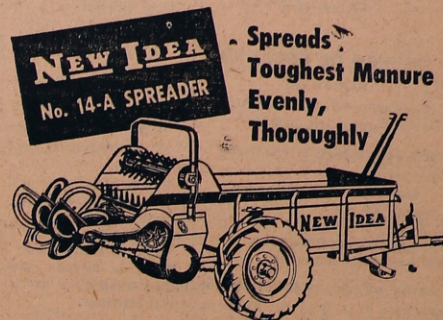
INNOCENTS ABROAD

A young California couple took a visiting aunt for a drive, and pointed out a fig tree as one of the sights.

"Fig tree," exclaimed the elderly woman. "That can't be a fig tree."

"Certainly is," said her niece. "What makes you think different?"

"Well," said the aunt, subsiding a little, "I just thought . . . surely . . . the leaves must be bigger than that."



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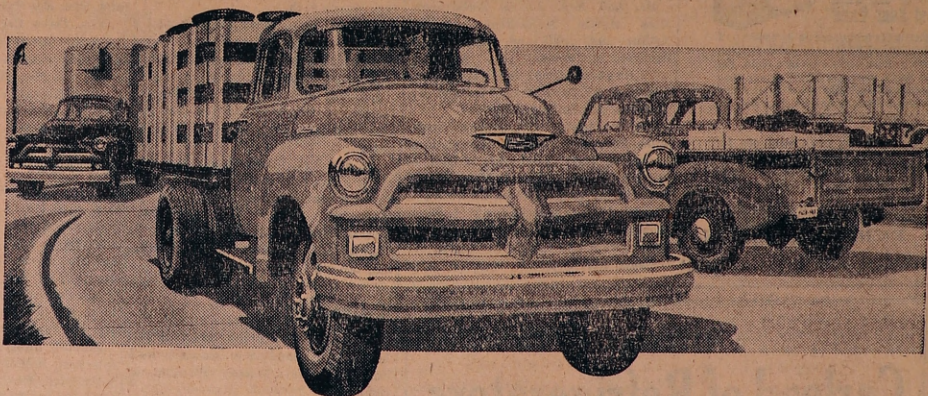
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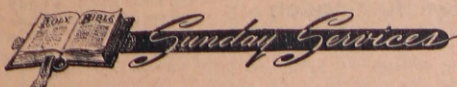
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At Local Churches April 4th, 1954

St. Andrew's
Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

10.00 a.m.—Church School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship, The
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

West Huntingdon

2.00 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Communion Service, "This
Do In Remembrance of Me."

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Lent V — Passion Sunday

St. John's, Stirling

10.00 a.m.—Church School
11.00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist

Service will be conducted by the
Rev. Canon J. M. Brownlie, Marmora.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



Rawdon Circuit
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. R. R. Bonsteel, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Wellman's
2.30 p.m.—Bethel
7.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant
Holy Communion at Wellman's and
Bethel.

STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL
CHARGE

Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E., Minister
— Season of Lent —

St. Paul's
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—The Minister
Carmel
8.00 p.m.—Rev. Miriam Collins, B.A.,
and St. Paul's Choir
Plan to attend these services.
Please bring your special and self-
denial offerings.

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, April 4th, 1954
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Belts, C.J.B.Q.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
SPEAKER
SAM TAYLOR, Peterborough
8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer
and Bible Study

STIRLING
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— SERVICES —
SUNDAY — 3.00 p.m.
THURSDAY — 8.00 p.m.

To all who are interested in a full
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us in this message.

PASTOR, G. F. PIERCE

Apr. 23-1yr

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Special thanks is due the President,
Secretary and Entertainment Commit-
tee for all their efforts from October
30th, 1953 to last week when eighteen
parties were sponsored. The total
proceeds exceeded \$294.00.

Pleasant since 1935 and they have
also received various stars.

Mr. James Menzies was tendered a
surprise birthday anniversary supper
on Saturday evening, March 27th on
the occasion of his 75th milestone.
The guests included Mr. and Mrs.
Kenneth Menzies, Lorraine and Al-
lan and Mr. Fred Moore, of Wark-
worth; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and
Leslie. A lovely tiered and decorated
birthday cake, centred the supper
table and was alight with 75 candles.
A large number of folk from this
community including Mr. and Mrs.
Carleton Potts, David and Shirley, at-
tended the funeral of Mrs. Potts' fath-
er, Mr. B. C. Tucker at Bethel United
Church on Friday afternoon.

Miss Brenda Campbell, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell is
happy to have a baby brother, which
arrived at Belleville Hospital Thurs-
day, March 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Merrick and a
large number of other folk attended
the Threshermen and Power Farmers
Banquet at Toke's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Holmes and
family, of Kingston, visited his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes on
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharpe and Bert
spent a day last week with her sister,
Mrs. Ernest Moore, and Mr. Moore, at
Madoc.

Mrs. Thos. Andrews, Oshawa, is
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott
and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sine.

Rylstone

Mrs. Lloyd Anderson has returned
home after spending a few days with
her sister Mrs. Murney Fleming, at
Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson,
Brian, Tommie and Kathy, spent
Thursday at Napanee with their aunt
and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hus-
band.

Mrs. Robert Mumby has been moved
from Campbellford Memorial Hospital
to the home of her daughter, Mrs.
Harry Brunton, at Healey Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morton and fam-
ily were Sunday visitors of her sister,
Mrs. Tom Heath, Mr. Heath and fam-
ily at Wilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer and
family were Sunday supper guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and
family.

Several mail boxes in the district
mysteriously left their posts on Sat-
urday night. Rather late for Hallo-
we'en pranks.

The County Road and some of the
Township roads were improved over
the week-end by grading. They were
in a bad state before that. We hope
they won't leave us so long next time
with such bad roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick and
family were Sunday guests of Mr. and
Mrs. George Easton and family, at
Bancroft.

Several from here attended the Stir-
ling - Kincardine hockey match in the
Belleville Arena Saturday night.

Minto

The sympathy of this community is
extended to the family and relatives of
the late Bert Tucker, whose funeral
took place from his home here to
Bethel Church on Friday afternoon of
last week.

Mrs. Anne Reid, of Belleville, spent
the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Phil
Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warren, of King-
ston, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hager-
man were Sunday afternoon visitors
of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Mr.
Wm. Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clements and
Marjorie, of Stirling, and Mr. and Mrs.
Tom Clements and Jane, called on
Mrs. Artilla Hagerman, of Belleville,
on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood and Mr.
Percy Wood, of Ivanhoe, were tea-
hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phil
Vance on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Geen, who is employed
in Toronto, spent the week-end at his
home here.

Bonarlaw

Mrs. Jennie Wellman returned to
her home on Friday from the Belle-
ville General Hospital where she
spent the past two weeks undergoing
treatments for back and head injuries
received when crossing the street in
Belleville, where she had the misfor-
tune of falling on the pavement.

Miss Muriel Kellar, of Bancroft, is
visiting her brother, Mr. K. Kellar,
Mrs. Kellar, Dennis and Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kellar, Harold,
and Miss Muriel Kellar, of Bancroft,
visited Mrs. Jennie Wellman on Wed-
nesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Prichard, Tor-
onto, spent the week-end with Mr. and
Mrs. Ralph Wellman and family.

Mr. Albert Chunn, of Woodland,
Man., arrived in Bonarlaw on Thurs-
day to visit Mr. Jesse Barlow. Mr.
Chunn lived the early part of his life
with the Barlows and when he learned
of Mr. Barlow's illness, he came to
visit him. Mr. Barlow was overjoyed
to see him.

Springbrook

Miss Marion Johnson, Peterborough,
was a guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Elwood Johnson on Sunday.

Misses Donna and Ruth Bateman,
Belleville, spent the week-end at
their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dafeo, of Frank-
ford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.
D. Runnalls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Moore, of Frank-
ford, were week-end guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson have
returned home from a month's visit
with Mr. Thompson's brother, Mr.
Wesley Thompson, of Saskatoon.

Mr. Morgan Bird and Hazel, Camp-
bellford, were week-end visitors of Mr.
and Mrs. Ed. Bateman.

Mrs. Dave Cretney and Sheryl, of
Belleville spent the week-end with Mr.
and Mrs. Murney Mason and Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Payne and child-
ren, of Kingston, were guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Ed. Bateman on Sunday.

Carmel

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brooks and Mr.
and Mrs. Harry Brooks attended the
funeral of the late Myron Bray in
Rochester, N.Y., last Tuesday. Mr.
and Mrs. Lorne Brooks remained a few
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Belle-
ville, spent last week at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks.

Sunday guests entertained at the
following homes included:

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal and Mrs.
Neal Sr., of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs.
John Carlisle, Wellmans; Mr. George
Wilson and Miss Marie Wood, Spring-
brook, at the home of Mr. Wm. Car-
lisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson, of Have-
lock, with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Grills.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Martin and
family, of Corbyville, at the home of
Mr. Ed. Pyear.

Mrs. Jack Johnston and son Bill, of
Hastings, and Miss Phyllis Grills, of
English Line, with Mr. and Mrs. John
Grills.

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Baker and Rev.
W. S. Irwin with Mr. and Mrs. Dou-
glas Pyear.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell, Thur-
low with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hager-
man.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Terry and Jacque-
line, of Murray; Mr. and Mrs. Percy
MacMullen, Mount Pleasant; Mr. and
Mrs. Hector Eggleton and Jean, and
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pyear with Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Pyear.

Mrs. Janet Utman, Miss Pearl Mudd,
Stirling, with Mrs. Wm. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farrell, Trent-
on, with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grills.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, Peter-
borough, spent the week-end with Mr.
and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hubel, Brighton,
spent the week-end at their respective
parents homes.

Mrs. Arthur Pyear attended a
luncheon executive meeting of the Bay
of Quinte Conference W.A. at the
home of Mrs. J. M. Wood, Belleville,
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Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Haggerty, Jimmy and Gregg spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lain.

Mrs. Donald Fleming spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keeble, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw are spending a few days in Toronto. Mrs. George Gibson and children, of Toronto, spent the week-end with her father, Mr. Michael Kerby.

Mrs. Arthur Cooney had the misfortune to break an arm while hanging curtains.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McMaster, Larry and David, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McMaster, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haw and family have taken up residence in the Ray homestead.

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A quilting will be held in the community hall in the forenoon of Wednesday, April 7th. A pot luck dinner will be served at noon. This will be followed by the regular and annual meeting. A full attendance is requested.

Births

CAMPBELL — Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell, R.R. 3, Stirling, are pleased to announce the arrival of a son at the Belleville General Hospital, on Thursday, March 25th, 1954, a brother for Brenda.

GOODKEY — At the Sine Maternity Home, Rawdon, on Tuesday, March 30th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Goodkey, Harold, R.R. 2, a daughter, a sister for Linda and Gerald.

SILLS — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Silles, West Huntingdon, wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Margaret Ann, at Belleville General Hospital, on Saturday, March 27th, 1954, a sister for Bobby.

In Memoriam

ANDREWS — In loving memory of a dear husband who passed away on March 30th, 1941 (the late Arthur W. Andrews).

It is enough, earth's struggles soon shall cease;
And Jesus call us to heaven's perfect peace.

— Wife and family

EMMONS — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Wm. Burleigh Emons, who passed away March 30th, 1953.

Many a lonely heartache
Often a silent tear,
Always a beautiful memory
Of the one we loved so dear.
God gave us strength to fight it,
And courage to bear the blow;
And what it cost to lose him,
No one will ever know.
— Ever remembered by wife and daughter.

17-1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbours of Stirling and Molra who so kindly remembered us with cards, gifts and personal calls while in the Belleville Hospital and since our return home; also a special "thank you" to Dr. Cornett.

17-1p Alice and Baby Mabel Mumby

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to friends and neighbours for cards, treats and kindnesses extended me during my illness. I should like to thank Dr. W. Cornett for his kind attention.

17-1 Mrs. Frances Hoard

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbours for their kind expressions of sympathy, flowers, cards and letters sent during our recent bereavement.

17-1p Hilda and Malcolm Mason

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who remembered me during my stay in Kingston General Hospital, I wish to say a sincere "thank you."

17-1p Bert Jones

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express a sincere "thank you" to all my friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness during my stay in hospital and since returning home.

17-1p Ernest Cain

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my deep appreciation to my friends and relatives, St. Mark's W.A. and St. Mark's Sunday School, Bonarlaw; Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, Marmora and Belleville; L.O.B.A., No. 655, Stirling; Lydia Lodge, L.O.B.A., Belleville; Crystal Chapter, No. 36, Havelock; Canon J. M. Brownlie, Rev. H. C. Secker, Rev. Howard Beare, and Donna Bateman, nurse in training, for flowers, fruit, candy, get well cards, letters, phone calls and visits during my illness at home and in the hospital. I thank you all.

17-1p Jennie Wellman, Bonarlaw

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Wellman's

Mrs. Max Embury, of Goderich, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Douglas and family, of White Lake, visited Sunday with Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack. Sharon, Donna and Arlene Fluke, were supper guests on Friday with Freda Graham.

Mrs. Percy Jackman visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Marsh Hill Y.P.U.

Interesting Meeting

Marsh Hill Y.P.U. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross on Monday night, March 15th.

The President, Miss Barbara Brown opened the business part of the meeting with a poem after which everyone sang the Doxology. The minutes were read and approved. An invitation was received from Scott's Y.P.U. to attend a box social. It was decided to give \$5.00 to the Liquor Fund and \$5.00 to the Red Cross.

Douglas Brenton was in charge of the programme. Raymond Ross read the Scripture and Doug Dettler gave a short reading. Barbara Brown closed the meeting with a benediction.

Raymond Ross was in charge of the recreation and everyone enjoyed a scrambled word contest. The evening came to a close with a very tasty lunch served by Mrs. Ross.

In the draw for the lamp which the group had sold tickets on, was held Monday night, March 22nd with Mr. A. O. Dalrymple, of Stirling, holding the lucky ticket.

St. John's W.A.

Monthly Meeting

The meeting of St. John's Woman's Auxiliary was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, March 30th. Hymn 105 was sung with Mrs. S. Boyce as pianist. The President, Mrs. J. Whitehead read the Litany, followed by the members' prayer in unison. Mrs. Trow read the Bible Lesson from St. John 2: 7-17.

Mrs. Geo. Noble was chosen to attend the Annual W.A. which is to be held in Kingston on May 5th and 6th as a delegate from St. John's W.A., Stirling.

Mrs. Noble was in charge of the programme and called on Mrs. S. Boyce for a piano solo. Mrs. Secker gave two readings, "The Call To Breakfast" and "The Finer Thoughts." Mrs. McArthur put on a contest named "Lenten Session." The President closed the meeting with Hymn 287 and the closing prayer.

Lunch was served and Mrs. Earl Morrow moved a vote of thanks to all who made this meeting a success.

New Phone

Books Distributed

Stirling subscribers of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada received new telephone directories in the mail this week. Enough of the green-covered books were distributed in this district that, placed end to end, they would form a path more than three and one-half miles long. G. W. Proctor, Bell Manager in this region, said.

Unlike most publishers, the Bell Company asks its readers to discard previous editions of its books. There are more than 9,000 new and changed listings in the new directory, Mr. Proctor said, and continued use of the old books would result in "wrong numbers." He advised subscribers to check their "Blue Book of Telephone Numbers" against the new directory and bring their personal lists up to date.

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Hadley rendered a piano solo. Donald Heath gave a game and Jean Reid conducted a contest.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Heath and Mrs. Hoover moved a vote of thanks.

Sales of appliance and radio stores were 17.9 per cent higher in the first half of 1953 than in the similar period of 1952.

LETDOWN

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Eggs also are economical in substantial main dishes and an excellent substitute for fish. You can prove it in the following ways:

Chinese Omelet
2 tbsps. butter
2 tbsps. flour
1 cup milk
6 eggs, separated
½ tsp. salt
1 tsp. pepper, paprika
1 tsp. dry mustard
2 cups boiled rice

Make a white sauce with butter, flour and milk, cooking until thickened and smooth. Beat egg yolks until light coloured; add seasonings, white sauce and cooked rice. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into greased

skillet or omelet pan and cook on electric element turned to Low or Position 3 for about 4 minutes, or until omelet is browned on bottom when lifted by spatula. Place in moderate oven of 350 degs. for 10 minutes. Crease down centre and fold by lifting half out of pan as it is inverted on platter. Garnish with parsley. Serve at once.

Scalloped Eggs and Noodles

1 (4 oz.) pkg. noodles
4 tbsps. butter
2 tbsps. flour
1½ cups milk or broth
1 tsp. salt
1-3 tsp. pepper
2 cups diced celery
6 hard-cooked eggs
1 cup sliced olives

Cook noodles in salted water about 8 mins. Make a white sauce of 2 tbsps. butter, 2 tbsps. flour, the milk or broth and seasonings. Brown celery in remaining 2 tbsps. butter. Place noodles, celery, olives and eggs in alternate layers in greased casserole. Pour white sauce over all. Sprinkle with paprika. Keep hot in warming

oven of the electric range. Serves 6.

Custard Pie

2 cups milk
3 eggs
1 tsp. salt
5 tbsps. sugar
Grated nutmeg

Pastry

Scald milk. Beat the eggs slightly, add salt and sugar and scalded milk. Line an 8 inch pie plate with plain pastry and flute the edge. Pour egg mixture into pie plate and sprinkle with ½ tsp. nutmeg. Bake in electric oven preheated to 450 degs. for 10 mins., then reset the oven temperature to 325 degs. and continue baking about 45 mins. or until knife, inserted into custard comes out clean.

TAKE A TIP

1. Have you seen the egg dispenser in the new deluxe refrigerators? This saves time in removing foods from the shelves. Anything that saves time in easy access to foods in refrigerator means low cost of operation.

2. To soft-cook eggs lower eggs gently with a spoon into boiling salted water. Then reduce heat to simmer or position 4. Cover pan; cook 4 mins. Remove eggs and slice off the small end to prevent over-cooking.

3. To fry eggs as chefs do, melt 1 tsp. butter in a heavy skillet. Slip eggs into skillet and cover with a tight-fitting lid. Keep electric element turned low. Cook eggs covered until white has jellied — about three minutes.

4. To poach eggs to perfection, fill saucepan to depth of 2 inches of water, add ½ tsp. salt. Drop zinc jar into water then slip egg from cracked shell into each ring. Cover saucepan and cook on low heat about 4 minutes. Slip out the jar rings and remove eggs with slotted lifter.

Note: The electric egg cooker saves any concern about eggs cooked to perfection right at the table.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. C. L. asks: Why is a sherbet often filled with ice crystals?

Answer: Homemade sherbet should be perfectly smooth if you pour the mushy ingredients into a chilled bowl and beat for 3 mins. then return to freezing tray. This may be done twice during freezing especially if the refrigerator is filled with food.

Miss P. B. asks: How can we prevent our new electric egg cooker from being coated with lime from our hard water?

Answer: Add a pinch of cream of tartar to the water that is used in the electric cooker.

Mr. G. B. asks: How can spaghetti be cooked so that the strands are long and attractive.

Answer: To cook spaghetti in the right way — Fill a large kettle two-

thirds full of water and add 1 tsp. salt. When water boils rapidly, plunge in the ends of spaghetti, pushing it very gently into the kettle until it is submerged. When water boils again, turn electric element to Medium or Low and do not stir. Cook spaghetti 8 or 9 minutes then slip into sieve or colander and drain quickly, then serve directly on to hot plates. Top with sauce or butter and grated cheese.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o Stirling News-Argus. Send in your suggestions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

Jamming Zippers Problem Solved

If you have ever had your schedule and your temper upset by a jammed zipper, hear this:

A leading manufacturer of slide zippers has just introduced a zipper that gets itself out of jams.

The firm has solved the jamming problem with a magic tab and tiny push button. When the button is pushed by the tab, the slider rocks back on the chain, springing the jaws and releasing the fabric.

The new zipper, the product of years of experimenting, is said to be easily operated by a child. And it is so finely made, says the company, that it will be used in the sheerest dresses.

To be put into higher-priced garments at first, the zipper will be introduced in the popular-price dress market as production increases, the firm announced.

Sees Textile Industry Problem Better Understood

In the past year there seems to be some indication that men in Ottawa and in business are beginning to understand what is wrong with the textile industry, and to realize that what has happened to it could conceivably happen to other industries in Canada. Hugh H. Lawson, past president of the Primary Textiles Institute, warned in an address in Toronto.

Mr. Lawson, in tracing the causes of the crisis now being experienced by Canadian primary textile manufacturers, said that three years ago the industry ranked first in the number of people employed, second in salaries and wages paid and third in gross value of production among all Canadian manufacturing industries.

"How then," he asked, "could this seemingly healthy and substantial part of our Canadian industrial economy, in a short space of two years, lose production and lay off 23 per cent of its workers and have its profits squeezed out, in a period of the greatest Canadian prosperity in almost all other fields?"

"The answer does not lie with the Canadian consumer. He did not cut back his personal purchasing to any significant degree. Canadian consumers buy textiles at a noticeably steady rate in relation to income. Today, as a per cent of his income, he is buying pretty much as he did pre-war.

"A series of dramatic events has overshadowed the real cause of the textile slump. We must look deeper than the natural fluctuations in business caused by international disputes and the adjustments necessitated by them.

"From 1939 until the end of the war, all textile industries in most countries were hard put to supply the urgent wartime needs of their own armed forces and civilian populations. The Canadian industry during the war was asked to produce hundreds of millions of yards of fabrics and garments for the armed forces, in addition to supplying the needs of the civilian population. It is difficult to surmise what Canada could or would have done during the war without this industry. The textile industries in Great Britain and the United States could not have supplied us; they were too hard-pressed to supply themselves and help Russia.

"These dramatic events obscured a less spectacular but more important factor in the textile slump. There is the clearest parallel in time between the drop from 75 per cent to 55 per cent of the Canadian-made fabrics' share of our own market and the steadily continued policy of textile tariff reductions. From 1939 until 1951 textile tariffs have been lowered substantially on four occasions — in 1939, 1947, 1949 and 1951.

"Next — for three years after the war, very depleted civilian inventories were steadily being filled, in quantities quite abnormal.

"Next came the outbreak of war in Korea which led to frenzied stockpiling of textiles under the threat of wartime shortages.

"No normal peacetime appraisal of the accumulated effect of these four tariff reductions was really possible;

until 1951-52. These past two years have disclosed it, and have disclosed that the effect is very serious for the primary textiles industry and the 80,000 workers still employed in an industry that normally employs 95,000.

OF MANY THINGS

(By Ambrose Hills)

Second Wind

My son, Bill, on holidays, writes, "Dear Dad, we went for a run around the lake last night. I didn't think I could go all the way. Half way around I thought I was puffed out. But all of a sudden, I wasn't tired any more and I ran fast all the way. My uncle says I got my second wind."

What memories that letter brought me! One time, at Scout Camp years ago, I'd discovered that if I just kept running, even though "puffed out," I'd get my second wind. I told my scoutmaster, an old sea captain, about it, and he said something I'll remember all my life.

"So you got your second wind, did you laddie? That's good. Because you'll find it is your second wind that will blow all your argosies safely to port. Never forget that, boy."

If you have a dream that is faltering, keep on. Your second wind will blow it safe to port. When the going seems rough and you're all but puffed out, go a bit further and watch for that amazing miracle called second wind.

You know there are many men and women who never know that amazing experience. They quit too soon. When they felt puffed out they stopped, or yelled for help, or blamed the world for their misfortunes. If only they had gone along a while, persistent to the end, they might have felt that wonderful second surge of energy that would have brought their dream to fruition.

I knew a man who owned a little radio station back in the days when the going was tough. Merchants had very little money with which to advertise. Every month the station was losing a little more. All the owner's friends urged him to quit and salvage what he could. They said there was no use sending good money after bad. But he hated to quit because he loved the radio business and he had faith.

He went to see his bank manager, where he already had an overdraft.

"I guess I should quit," he said, "but I can't bring myself to give up yet. If you'll go along with me, I'll try another year of it before I close up shop."

The banker agreed to go along, because he knew my friend had the kind of courage it takes to win out in the long run. And the tide soon began to turn. That little station is now one of the biggest and most prosperous in

Western Canada, and the owner is quite comfortably off. He is glad now that he kept on until he got his second wind. And so are the people in his community, because his broadcasting station unsubsidized by any tax money gives generously of its time and money to every worthwhile cause.

Have you a dream that stubbornly refuses to come true? Keep pushing, and your second will wait it safe to port!

Drivers Are Made Not Born

A Canadian insurance company is convinced that young drivers can be taught safe driving in high school. They offer premium reductions up to 15% for young Canadians who complete driving courses in their schools.

"Surveys in the U.S.," they state, have shown that drivers under 25 who have completed a high school driver education course are involved in over 50% fewer accidents than similar groups of untrained drivers.

"The trained young driver learns to operate an automobile correctly, but more important he acquires the proper attitude so necessary to the safe operation of a car."

During the past 15 years the wages of Canadian textile workers have risen faster than those of manufacturing industry workers in general.

Quick Can. Quiz

1. What early explorer discovered and gave his name to an important U.S. river and an inland Canadian sea?
2. In 1947 Canadians imported \$2.5 billion worth of imported goods. How much did they import in 1953?
3. The average factory worker earned \$30 a week in 1945. What is the current average wage?
4. Where is there a reproduction of the first permanently constructed dwelling built by Europeans in what is now Canada?
5. The Canadian railway industry moves how many tons of freight a week?

ANSWERS: 5. On the average about 3 million tons a week. 3. \$50 a week. 1. Henry Hudson — Hudson River and Hudson Bay. 4. The Port Royal Habitation at Lower Granville, N.S. 2. Commodity imports in 1953 totalled nearly \$4.4 billion.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

In non-agricultural industries, which employ nearly 4,000,000 Canadians, almost one-quarter of the total working force is women.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

THE SEED SOME FARMERS SOW

On the basis of a 1953 seed drill survey made in one of the western provinces — in which samples of seed were taken from the seed drills in farmers' fields and analysed — 43 out of every 100 farmers were sowing wheat that graded "rejected," 76 out of every 100 were sowing oats that would be classed as rejected if offered for sale, and 67 were sowing rejected barley.

Under the Seeds Act, rejected seed is seed of quality inferior to the minimum standard of purity required for Grade No. 3 seed, the lowest grade recognized as saleable under the Act. Rejected seed may not be sold or even offered for sale for the purpose of seeding in Canada.

It is true that 87 per cent of the farmers included in this survey were seeding home grown grain, and to that extent they may not have been running the danger of introducing new weeds to their farms. But why use seed of poor quality at all? The same time is required to prepare the seedbed and to harvest the crop regardless of the quality of seed used.

If the normal increase expected from the seed grain sown is 10 or 15 bushels for 1, the same ratio of increase applies to the weed seeds it contains. Why waste time preparing a seedbed for weeds?

Farmers in this Western Prov. are apparently no more careless of the seed they sow than those in other parts of Canada. Similar seed drill surveys in an eastern Canadian province show that 40 out of 100 farmers there are using seed which would not qualify as No. 3 Grade, in other words seed that they would not be permitted to sell.

A representative of the Department of Agriculture for that province points out that it costs only 75 cents to \$1 more per acre to sow No. 1 Commercial seed, and only about 25 cents per acre to have the seed cleaned at a reliable cleaning plant to bring it up to No. 1 Commercial standard grade.

The few hours and small cash outlay required to secure a supply of good seed of a variety known to be suitable for the district, would appear to be one of the most profitable expenditures a farmer could make in his yearly farm operations. If in addition to the use of clean seed, it is treated with a fungicide to control seed borne diseases such as smut, the farmer has done his best to assure a good crop return from his labour of seeding and harvest.

CANADIAN CHEESE CONSUMPTION

In 1951-52 a study was made of the consumption of cheese in Canada and the possibilities of increasing its use by Canadians. Seven cities were selected for the study: Saint John, N.B.; Three Rivers, Que.; Toronto, Ottawa and Sudbury, Ont.; Saskatoon, Sask.; and Vancouver, B.C. Some preliminary reports have been released previously, but a final report, "Sales of Cheese in Selected Canadian Cities," by L. E. Rayton, Economics Division, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, is now available.

In general the report points up the great variation in the use of cheese in Canada. In few homes is it considered as a staple in the family diet which no doubt accounts for the relatively low consumption, which since 1926 has varied between three and six pounds a person annually. This is considerably less than many other

countries with an equivalent standard of living.

Even between the seven cities studied there was a variation in consumption of 4.5 pounds a person, with annual use in Sudbury of 8.67 pounds and in Three Rivers of 4.17 pounds a person.

Not as much cheese is served as cheese dishes as might be expected and most Canadians eat less cheese than nutritionists suggest as desirable for a well-balanced diet. The difference between the amount eaten and that suggested as desirable is generally greater in families including children than in all-adult families.

Cheese preference appears to change with age. The tendency is for a larger proportion of older people to prefer cheddar, especially old cheddar, than younger persons. But there are indications that the pattern of cheese preference is not changing over the years. Processed cheese is supplementing rather than replacing cheddar cheese.

Some suggestions for increasing sales are made in the study. Because an area has a relatively high rate of cheese consumption is no reason to neglect it; indeed such an area may show the quickest response to increased sale effort. In marketing it is important to have as wide a variety of types and flavours as practically. Certainly all three degrees of maturity of cheddar, mild, medium and old, should be readily available to customers.

Continuous publicity is desirable as to the merits of cheese as a food and particularly its adaptability to all kinds of meals. It is desirable to stress the low cost of cheese relative to its high food value. The indicated rates of cheese consumption for Sudbury and for bilingual families in Ottawa suggest that there are possibilities for increasing the quality of cheese consumed by French-speaking Canadians.

Copies of the report may be obtained from Information Service, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

TEST ANTIBIOTICS ON FOULBROOD

A test of the effectiveness of antibacterial agents (sulpha drugs and antibiotics) against American foulbrood of the honeybee was made in 1953 by the Bacteriology and Apiculture Divisions of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, as part of a long-term project on chemical treatment of bee diseases.

Pure compounds, or concentrates of these agents, were fed in sugar syrup heavily inoculated with spores of American foulbrood, to colonies of bees in the apiary. The colonies were examined periodically throughout the summer, complete freedom from infection of a colony being the standard used for rating the efficiency of the compounds tested.

Terracon, an impure concentrate of the antibiotic terramycin, when fed at the rate of 0.5 gram per gallon, per colony, completely controlled American foulbrood. Magnamycin, a newly isolated antibiotic, was not effective. Sulmet, or sulphamethazine, a sulpha drug prepared for veterinary use, was completely effective. One tablet (0.5 gram) per gallon, per colony was sufficient for this purpose.

Three years ago an experiment was begun with three sulpha drugs to determine whether their effectiveness against American foulbrood would persist after storage in honey for several years. Each drug was mixed with

honey at the rate of 2.0 grams per 20 pounds of honey. Five pounds of this mixture was then diluted with an equal weight of water, inoculated with American foulbrood spores and fed at once, along with untreated inoculated control samples, and the remaining 15 pounds stored. Each of the following summers five pounds of this treated honey was tested in a similar manner. The results indicate that the three drugs tested, sodium sulphathiazole, sulphathiazole and sulphadiazine completely controlled American foulbrood even after three years' storage in honey. Similar experiments are now underway with the antibiotic terramycin.

HORSE OWNERS WARNED MUST ENROL STALLIONS

W. P. Watson, Secretary of the Ontario Stallion Enrolment Board, has announced that in Ontario no person shall stand travel or offer for service or sale any stallion unless the stallion is enrolled.

Under the provisions of "The Stallions Act" stallions must be inspected at least once in every three year period. Following inspection all stallions that are considered suitable for use as sires are classified into Grades A, B or C. Such stallions are eligible for enrolment. However their owners must enrol them during each year that they are being offered for public service. The enrolment fee is \$2 if paid before May 1st, or \$4 thereafter.

Owners may enrol their stallions by forwarding the Canadian registration certificate, and the prescribed fee to the Secretary of the Ontario Stallion Enrolment Board, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Owners who fail to enrol their stallions are liable to prosecution for contravention of the provisions of the legislation.

OUTLOOK FOR ONTARIO FARM BUSINESS

Following is the outlook for Ontario Farm Business as seen by the Department of Agricultural Economics, Ontario Agricultural College, after consultation with various branches of the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

Dairy Products — This year's prices will be largely determined by the amount of cheese which can be exported.

Beef Cattle — Reasonably stable prices are to be expected except for normal seasonal variations.

Hogs — Are expected to show high prices in mid-summer and declining prices in the fall.

Soybeans — We cannot expect next year's prices to be as high as at present.

Potatoes — Indications that prices will strengthen somewhat during the remainder of the current season.

Forage Seeds — Prices are likely to remain substantially lower during the present crop year.

The reasons for these forecasts, along with material on farm mechanization, cash crops, and price supports, can be found in the latest issue of Ontario Farm Business, obtainable now at the office of your Agricultural Representative.

Four Jr. Farmers To Tour England And Scotland

Selected from a group of some twenty-two nominees representing the Counties and Districts of the Province four young Ontario farmers, members of the Junior Farmers Association, will sail from Canada on May 18th for a tour of the farms of England and Scotland.

Those who will make the trip under the auspices of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, are all active members of Junior Farmer Clubs and have shown leadership ability in club, farm, school and church work. The successful candidates were selected by a committee following personal interviews at the Ontario Agricultural College.

Selected for the trip are: Miss Marie Ecker, Glanford Station, Wentworth County; Miss Barbara Jean Redner, Carrying Place, Prince Edward County; Robert P. Allan, Brucefield, Huron County; and Charles W. Corry, Atwood, Perth County.

Dr. Norman H. High, Director of the Diploma Course at the Ontario Agricultural College, will act as leader of the delegation.

The four young people will represent the Junior Farmers' Association of Ontario during their stay abroad. During their tour they will be the guests of young farmers' associations in England and Scotland living on the farms. They will have the opportunity of studying British agricultural conditions and methods and will visit the Royal Highland Show in Scotland and the Royal Show in England.

The candidates were selected by a committee composed of J. M. Purvis, Kemptville Agricultural School (Chairman); Miss Lulu Rowe, Women's Institute Branch and Prof. Ralph Campbell, Ontario Agricultural College.

The ability of the young people to profit from such a visit is indicated in the biographical sketches which follow:

Miss Marie Ecker

Miss Ecker comes from a 100 acre farm specializing chiefly in hay and grain crops and registered Holstein cattle. She graduated from Hamilton Normal School in June 1952 and received an interim first class certificate. During high school, as well as academic work, she completed a four year art course. During 1952-1953 she taught school at Binbrook and this year is acting principal of the same school. She started taking Girls' Club work at 11 years of age and carried on until she received provincial honors. She has certificates for 16 Homemaking Club units. She has won several trips for her outstanding work. During her years of club work she has held every available office. For the past 5 years she has been a member of the Binbrook Junior Farmers and at present is secretary of the County Junior Farmers. Active in church work, she has held many offices in that field.

Miss Barbara Jean Redner

Coming from a farm featuring mixed

farming and the growing of canning crops, Miss Redner is a graduate of the four year Vocational and Home Economics Course at Belleville Collegiate. She also graduated from the one year Home Economics Course at Kemptville Agricultural School. In addition she completed a Typing and Bookkeeping Course. Active in the 4-H Club she has completed 15 projects. She was president of the County Junior Farmers in 1952 and was a delegate to the New England Rural Youth Conference at Plymouth, N.H. in the same year. She was a delegate to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago in 1953 as well as participating in several other endeavours. She is President of the local Young People's Union and teaches a Sunday School Class as well as acting as assistant pianist.

Charles W. Corry

Mr. Corry lives on a mixed farm specializing in Dairy and Hogs, and is particularly interested in soil conservation. He has completed Grade XI work at Listowel High School and has attended a number of short courses at O.A.C. He has been a member of the Junior Farmer Choir for three years. He is superintendent of North Mornington Presbyterian Church Sunday School and a member of the choir and Young People's Society. He represented Perth County during the Soil Conservation and Land Use Tour in 1953. Interested in sport he has played baseball and hockey.

Robert P. Allan

With his father Mr. Allan carries on mixed farming specializing in the raising of beef cattle. White beans, soybeans, green peas and corn are grown as cash crops. He graduated from High School in nine subjects with six first-class honors. He has at-

tended many courses including Conservation and Co-operation at London in addition to many short courses. He completed three 4-H projects finishing first in all projects. Representing the Grain Club at Guelph in 1947 he attained the third highest standing of sixty-six competitors and was second in the swine section in the 1949 inter-club competitions. He has held offices in the Junior Farmers Association for the past eight years, and is now Director of the Provincial Junior Farmers. Mr. Allan has also acted as a Director of the Huron County Soil and Crop Improvement Association and the Huron County Federation of Agriculture. Interested in church work he has served on the Board of Stewards of Brucefield United Church and is now Secretary-Treasurer of the Sunday School.

Got Higher Hog Price

Ontario farmers received \$2.25 more for each hog sold last year than they did in the previous peak price year of 1951, Charles McInnis, of Iroquois, told Egremont Township producers at Holstein and Grey County recently. He said it cost them only 25c to get that margin.

Farmers' Grievance

The farmer's real grievance is not that the prices of his products are exposed to the influence of the law of supply and demand, but that while natural law is reducing the prices he receives, artificial means are being used to maintain, and even to increase the prices of the things he has to buy.

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The Easter Seal Committee of Stirling Rotary Club regret that they inadvertently omitted mailing seals to a number of Stirling and district citizens. They regret their error and if any person who has been overlooked will contact any member of the committee the matter will be easily adjusted.



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BURTON C. TUCKER

On Friday afternoon, March 26th, Bethel United Church was filled to capacity with an overflow congregation in the adjoining hall for the funeral of a lifelong resident, Burton C. Tucker.

Deceased had served Bethel United Church for over fifty years, holding office in Sunday School and as Steward and Elder. He was Recording Steward and Treasurer of Rawdon Official Board for several years after church union.

His pastor, Rev. R. R. Bonsteel, B.A., B.D., conducted the service and Mrs. Donald Heath and Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel sang a duet, "Beyond the Sunset."

The honorary bearers were neighbours and co-workers: Messrs. C. M. Sine, John Scott, Will Donald, Boulter Johnston, William Johnston and Geo. McMaster.

The bearers were officials of Bethel United Church and neighbors Messrs. Charles Morton, Harold Elliott, Walter Warren, Orval Jackson, Samuel Kirkey and Frank McGee.

Interment was made in Bethel Cemetery beside his wife who predeceased him seven years ago.

man, voiced thanks to all those who had provided prizes during the winter and to all who had patronized the parties; also to all members who assisted in any way to make the parties a real success.

Stirling Stamp Club

The Stirling Junior Stamp Club met on Saturday with most members present. President Bill Fellon was absent due to the Scout paper drive. We hope that it wasn't Bill who spread papers on the road from here to Frankford.

Secretary Bob Noble hed his minutes up to date, but they were a bit skimpy owing to the irregularity of the meetings due to sickness, hockey matches and other reasons.

The club has discovered a wonderful friend in the person of Mr. Harold Petch, a High School teacher in Bancroft, who has supplied many needed stamps at a very much reduced price.

The exhibition sheets are coming along nicely. These begin to look very attractive and will be displayed in the near future in some local merchant's window.

Several contests were held with high value stamps given as prizes.

G. McInroy Elected Sec.-Treas. Threshermen

The 28th annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Brotherhood of Threshermen and Power Farmers was held at Tobie's County Gardens, Belleville, on Friday last. Attendance at the afternoon session was a bit disappointing to officials but an overflow crowd attended the banquet and dance on Friday night.

Oscar Merrick, of Stirling, President, was in the chair for the business session and the election of officers for 1954.

Robert McAdam, of Peterborough, was named President; with Howard S. Oliver, of Colborne and James Reynolds, of Foxboro, as vice-presidents. Goldie F. McInroy, of Stirling, was named secretary-treasurer.

Executive committee members include Frank Tucker, R.R. 2, Belleville; Horace Knight, R.R. 2, Belleville and Charles Mills, of Omemee. Legislative committee includes Kenneth Tompkins, Harold; Ed. Dunn, Cameron, and Ross Branscombe, Brighton.

Directors are Fred Robinson, Corbyville; W. W. Dawson, Peterborough; Oran Day, Castleton; Roy Sills, Holloway; Carl Curtiss, Baltimore; Oscar Merrick, Stirling, and Vernon Campbell, Peterborough.

J. W. D. Cowie, Afternoon Speaker
J. W. D. Cowie, manager of the Tor-

River Valley Party

The last euchre party for this season was held at the River Valley School House under the auspices of the Women's Institute on Friday evening, March 26th, with guests in attendance from Wellman's and Stirling. There were nine tables in play and prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow with the awards going as follows: Ladies' high, Edward Heasman (playing as a lady); ladies' second, Mrs. Roy Tucker; men's high, Harry Ingram; men's second, Harry Heasman. The lone hand prize was captured by Harry Ingram and the box was well photographed as it had travelled about during the evening.

Refreshments were served and this included three angel cakes provided by the President.

A vote of thanks by Mr. J. L. Donohue was tendered the ladies for their efforts in providing the Valley with entertainment during the winter months and another vote of thanks was expressed by the Press Secretary to President, Secretary and Entertainment Committee. This group has worked faithfully all winter. The season opened with a Halloween programme and pie social on October 30th and since that time eighteen parties have been sponsored with proceeds of \$294.44 for the Institute treasury.

The President, Mrs. Edward Heas-

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Centennial Year Services, St. Paul's United Church Stirling, Palm Sun., April 11

11 a.m. The Minister — 7.30 p.m. Sacred Cantata "Olivet to Calvary" by St. Paul's Choir — Holy Week Services, Mon., April 12 at Carmel 8 p.m.; Tues., Wed., Thurs., April 13 - 15 at St. Paul's 8 p.m. — Good Friday at St. Paul's: Confirmation Service and Holy Communion 10.30 a.m. — Plan to attend these great services.

Unpaid Taxes Ordered Returned To County For Collection

Henry St. Residents Petition Village Council For Additional Street Lighting

All unpaid taxes in the Village were ordered returned to the County Treasurer for collection by Council at the regular monthly meeting on Monday night. Reeve R. K. West presided and Councillors Bradshaw, Bailey, Philip and Wells were in attendance.

Clerk Mallory reported some \$639 in outstanding taxes which resulted in prompt action by Council.

H. R. (Bud) Cross presented a petition by residents residing south of Elizabeth St. on Henry Street, asking for the installation of additional street lighting in that area. On motion of Messrs. Bradshaw and Wells, Clerk Mallory was instructed to write the Public Utilities Commission requesting that two additional street lights be installed in the area.

E. D. Ketcheson, local real estate agent, was retained by Council to purchase enough land for a street allowance from Dr. W. Cornett and J. B. Belshaw to connect St. James Street with Emma St.

Daylight Saving
The question of daylight saving was discussed and on motion of Messrs. Bradshaw and Bailey, Stirling will adopt daylight saving April 25th at 2.00 a.m.

Harry Philip, Chairman of Streets, reported that a survey had been made by the Committee and a number of culverts would be required. On motion of Wells and Bradshaw the committee was authorized to purchase the required culverts.

The business tax on the property, now occupied by the Pentecostal Church, and that of Mrs. Jean Brown were ordered written off the tax roll. The matter of a donation to the industrial committee of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce was discussed and left in abeyance.

The following accounts were presented for payment.

Public Utilities	\$291.96
Earle Green85
Bell Telephone Co.	17.95
Municipal World	7.31
E. D. Ketcheson	100.00
E. D. Ketcheson	18.00
J. C. McGee	30.50
Harry Jones	33.25
Stirling News-Argus	16.31
Sidney Mason	18.00
Ed. Follwell	56.00
Hector Eggleton	33.75
Alex Bush	4.50
Wilson & Cousins Co.	4.40

Bookkeeping Machine To Be Installed At Bank of Montreal

Customers of the Bank of Montreal's Stirling Branch will soon be receiving speedier and more convenient service. This will be made possible by the installation of a new ledger-keeping system, which will revolve around what is known as a combination posting machine.

This complex mechanism will automatically record all withdrawals, deposits, dates and other pertinent data. Current-account customers will not require passbooks, and thus will be free from delays while passbooks are being made up, as at present. Instead, they will regularly receive complete statements, with debits and balances concisely set out for quick reference. These statements will always be instantly available. The machine will also take care of the savings department, and all withdrawals and deposits will be mechanically entered in the bank's records. Savings passbooks, however, will still be hand written.

Thus, when the new equipment goes into operation, the ancient and honorable — but laborious — practice of keeping ledgers up to date by hand will become a thing of the past.

Allan Greenley, manager of the B of M, says of this new development: "We will be able to provide even faster and more convenient service for our customers with the help of this equipment."

BUSINESS MEN MEET TONIGHT

Stirling business men will hold an important meeting tonight (Thursday) in the Council Chambers at 7.30 p.m. Every business man should be present as matters of importance are to be discussed.

Entertained On 80th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Twiddy entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mumby on Sunday, it being the 80th anniversary of Mrs. Mumby's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Belshaw, of Stirling, were also guests. Mr. Belshaw is a brother of Mrs. Mumby.

Rev. A. E. Baker Called To Smooth Rock Falls

Rev. A. E. Baker, Minister of the Stirling Pastoral Charge (St. Paul's - Carmel) has accepted an invitation to the Pastorate at Smooth Rock Falls as from July 1st next.

Efforts by officials and supporters in the Stirling Charge to extend Mr. Baker's Pastorate here were unsuccessful.

Rotary Club

The regular weekly dinner meeting of the Stirling Rotary Club was held at Sterling Hotel on Tuesday evening at 6.10 with President A. O. Dalrymple in the chair.

An interesting film "Invest In Canada" was shown by a representative of F. R. Richardson & Son. He was introduced by Rotarian R. Vandervoort and the thanks of the Club were voiced by Rotarian X. P. Mayhew.

Leaders Attend Training Session

The President of the Local Girl Guide Association, Mrs. B. Woodbeck, attended the Training Session in interests of Guides and Brownies at the Bridge Street United Church, in Belleville on Saturday morning to further her knowledge with regard to the local Association.

Brown Owl Flo Paires, Tawny Owl Jessie Warren, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Harding, another willing helper for the Brownies, attended the all-day session of training in connection with their work as Brownie Leaders. Many interesting and instructive ideas were presented and problems were discussed; added to this the ability to talk things over with other Brown and Tawny Owls at the delightful buffet served so well by the Guild of St. Thomas Anglican Church to well over 135 leaders.

Captain Kent attended in the interest of the Guides and all who attended felt they had gained considerable knowledge and were better equipped to carry on in their respective positions.

It is often felt by the leaders of all youth organizations, that the parents and public do not fully appreciate the time and effort put forth by these faithful leaders, who give of their time and ability to produce better citizens of tomorrow.

Stirling compares most favourably and is quite often in the foreground in connection with its Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies. While their endeavours are not of a competitive nature, they are proud to be able to be ahead or keep abreast. So won't you please as parents, show your interest by appearing at their special meetings and help them in their financial undertakings. Acquaint yourselves with their activities and learnings, by so doing, the leaders and the children will feel adequately reimbursed.

ODDFELLOWS ENTERTAIN WIVES AND FRIENDS

Members of Stirling Lodge No. 239, I.O.O.F., entertained their wives and friends in the Stirling Community Hall on Wednesday night last.

Jack Sager, Noble Grand, acted as master of ceremonies for a program consisting of piano selection by Mrs. A. Pyear, tap dancing by Miss Barbara Woodbeck, duets by the Broadworth sisters, and solos by X. P. Mayhew, with guitar accompaniment.

Presented With 50-Year Jewel

A feature of the evening was the presentation of a 50-year Veteran's Jewel to Bro. E. T. Ward. The presentation was made by Bro. E. Bateman, of Thomasburg, District Deputy Grand Master of Madoc District No. 45, who was introduced by Bro. Geo. Carlisle.

Three films were shown by Ray Rose, after which refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in dancing to music supplied by Sine's Orchestra.

Attend Farm Forum Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carlisle attended the Ontario Farm Forum Convention in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, on Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Morley Sine and Messrs. Carman Grills and Bernard Hollinger, of Foxboro.

Home Damaged By Fire and Water

Fire of undetermined origin did considerable damage to the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sheridan, North Street Saturday morning.

The alarm was given by a passing motorist, Clayton Burkitt, of Springbrook, who noticed the smoke and awakened Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan. The local Fire Brigade responded promptly and had the fire under control in a short time. The flames were confined chiefly to the north wall of the home and firemen had to hack holes in the roof and wall to extinguish the blaze.

County Council In Session

Reeve R. K. West is attending the annual spring session of Hastings County Council, which convened in Shire Hall, Belleville, yesterday for its opening meeting. Reeve T. Cooney and Deputy-Reeve J. Spry, of Rawdon Township; Reeve Harry Morrow, of Sidney, and Reeve Elmer Wood, of Huntingdon, are also in attendance. The main item of business will be setting the County Tax Rate.

Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel Speaker At St. John's Guild

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, met in the Parish Hall Tuesday, April 6th, with the President, Mrs. B. Woodbeck presiding.

The opening hymn was, "The King of Love My Shepherd is," followed by the Guild Prayer and the Lord's Prayer. The President extended a cordial welcome to those present and after the usual business, turned the meeting over to the conveners, Mrs. Earl Morrow and Mrs. W. Webber. "A Rustle of Springs," by Christian Sinding, was very beautifully played by Mrs. Elsie Boyce.

Mrs. Charles Vance introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel, whose topic was "The World Council of Churches." Her message was interesting and informative and her words were an inspiration to all.

Mrs. J. Villette thanked Mrs. Bonsteel on behalf of the Guild. A contest was enjoyed after which a dainty lunch was served. Mrs. M. Tanner expressed her thanks on behalf of the Guild to all who helped make the meeting a success.

DEATH CLAIMS WM. E. MAYNES

In failing health for some time, William Elliott Maynes, Baker St., Stirling, died in Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday.

Born at Thomasburg, he was a son of the late Samuel Maynes and Elizabeth Morton and was in his 81st year. In 1926 he came to reside on a farm west of this village on the Campbellford Road. On his retirement he moved to this village. In religion he was a member of St. Paul's United Church. He was well and favourably known throughout the district.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lloyd (Florence) Dafeo and Mrs. Lorne (Mildred) Wilson, both of Stirling; one son, Albert Maynes, of Mar-mora, and two granddaughters. He was predeceased by his wife, Mary Malvina Johnston, in 1950. A brother, Edgar Maynes, of Toronto, also survives.

Resting at his late residence, Baker St., where the funeral will take place at 2.30 p.m. on Friday afternoon.

Ladies Energetic Bowling League

In the Friday afternoon Ladies' Energetic Bowling League, Evelyn Sleeper had the high single, 215, and Lottie Jeffery the high triple, 526 for the week.

Mrs. Carman Nix Loses Father

Mrs. Carman Nix, Harold R.R. 2, attended the funeral of her father, the late John Whitehouse, Sr., at Brighton, on Monday of this week. Mr. Whitehouse, who was in his 74th year, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Brighton on Friday, April 2nd.

At Director's Meeting

H. C. Bird, local grocer, attended a director's meeting of the Ontario Retail Merchants' Association (Food Division) held in the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, on Monday. He was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Bird.

74th Anniversary

A surprise party was tendered to Mr. Dave Cotten, Emily St., Stirling, by his family on the occasion of the 74th anniversary of his birthday on Saturday evening, April 3rd.

His twin granddaughters, Joan and Joyce Cotten, presented their grandpa with a number of gifts on behalf of the family.

Cards and watching television were very much enjoyed. "Happy Birthday" was sung, after which a bountiful lunch was served, topped off with a lovely birthday cake engraved "Happy Birthday Dad."

Mr. Cotten thanked one and all for the lovely evening in his honour.

Jesse Barlow Life Long Bonarlaw Resident Dies

Jesse Barlow, lifelong resident of Bonarlaw, died at his home on Saturday after an illness of several months. Mr. Barlow was in his 89th year. He was a son of the late Johnathan Barlow and Sarah Spry and was born in Bonarlaw. Mr. Barlow was a highly respected resident and a man of sterling qualities. In religion he was a member of St. Mark's Anglican Church and a staunch conservative.

He leaves four daughters Mrs. Fred-erick (May) Phillips, Foxboro; Mrs. George (Pearl) Mumby, Bonarlaw; Mrs. George (Victoria) Lough and Mrs. James (Emma) Barber, of Mountain View; two sons, Morley Barlow and W. J. Barlow, of Bonarlaw, and two sisters, Mrs. D. Kennedy, of Toronto, and Mrs. Nettie Rombough, Wellington.

The funeral was on Tuesday at 2.00 p.m. from his late residence to St. Mark's Anglican Church, Bonarlaw, for service by Canon J. M. Brownlie. Burial took place in the family plot in the 12th line cemetery.

Rev. Miriam E. Collins Speaker At 'Church of The Prophets'

Synod Executive

Rev. H. C. Secker, of St. John's, was in Kingston on Tuesday attending the Executive Council of Synod.

Bonarlaw Store Robbed of Goods

Burglars entered the general store of W. J. Barlow at Bonarlaw, some time Sunday night and escaped with a large quantity of tobacco and clothing.

Taken from the store were quantities of tobacco and cigarettes, bolt of print cloth, shirts, overalls and pants. Also taken from the store was a quantity of clothing left at the store for pick-up by a Belleville dry cleaner. The store cash register was ruined and a small amount of cash was taken. The break-in is being investigated by Mador Provincial Police.

Won Scholarship

Donna, 11-year-old daughter of the Rev. Morgan E. Rowland, B.A., B.D., and Mrs. Rowland, of Brockville, won a musical scholarship at the Music Festival in Brockville this past week. She received the highest marks for girl pianists under 12, with a superior rating of 88 marks. She tied in a higher grade for a second prize the following day.

Donna is the granddaughter of the Rev. E. W. Rowland and Mrs. Rowland, who served in St. Paul's Church, Stirling from 1928-1936. Her father is the minister of St. John's United Church, Brockville.

Pot Luck Dinner At St. Andrew's

On Wednesday of last week the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church held a pot luck dinner and quilting under the convenship of Mrs. Don Fargy and Mrs. Louis Rodgers in the Sunday School rooms.

A good crowd of hungry folk were on hand at noon to enjoy a splendid meal. During the afternoon a quilt was completed.

All members of the Ladies' Aid are reminded of the Home Cooking Sale on Saturday, April 10th, sponsored by the W.M.S. Proceeds will be used to meet the Bala allocation.

Delegate To I.O.D.E. Convention

Mrs. Edwin Warren is representing the Hon. J. R. Cooke Chapter at the I.O.D.E. Convention being held in the Royal Connaught Hotel, Hamilton, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Marion, and while in the city will be a guest of her brother, Hampton Dickson, and Mrs. Dickson. Mr. Warren and family will go to Hamilton for the week-end.

St. John's News

Canon J. M. Brownlie was the Celebrant and preacher at the Eucharist on Sunday in St. John's. The Rector was in Marmora for the 11.00 a.m. service there.

Flowers on the altar were in memory of Mrs. C. Chard, placed there by Mr. Chard, Dick and Jack. Flowers were also in the church in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Cooke, placed there by her daughter, Mrs. Wm. O'Shea, of Hamilton.

Mrs. B. Woodbeck and daughter, Barbara, sang a duet, "Whispering Hope."

On Sunday, April 11th at 7.30 p.m., we expect to have received by the Wardens, on behalf of St. John's, a beautiful and useful gift, which is being given to commemorate an important event in family life.

St. John's wishes to congratulate the Rev. A. S. McConnell, of Trenton, on his appointment as a Canon of the Diocese.

Large Congregation Attend Special Service At Carmel -- Fairy Stone Crosses Given

The second service related to the opening of the "Church of the Prophets" at Carmel was supported by a capacity congregation last Sunday night when Rev. Miriam E. Collins, the Assistant Minister of Bridge St. United Church, Belleville, was the guest speaker and the St. Paul's Senior Choir, guest choir.

Word Picture
Miss Collins began with a vivid word picture of the children of the world and of a Saviour who loves them all of every race and color. This was followed by the dream of Isaiah's conversion. The speaker traced the experience of the ancient prophet from his entering into the temple until he accepted the challenge of doing God's work. It is not enough to confess our sins. We must bring forth fruit, she said.

To hear an ordained lay minister was a new experience for many. Miss Collins won a favourable reaction. Her voice was strong and clear and her message evangelistic. The Church calls those who claim to be not good enough. Man is never self sufficient — he needs a vision of God, the speaker concluded.

The St. Paul's Choir, Stirling, occupied the choir area. It gave a lift to the service of praise, which included the singing of the Hymn of Dedication; "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord," with Mrs. Wm. Wilkins taking the solo; tenor solo, "Bless This House," by Mr. Douglas Pyear, and a male quartet, Messrs. H. E. Brown, Jack Bush, Grant Richardson and Wm. Aylsworth sang, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me." The service included the National Anthem.

Mrs. Walter T. Elliott presented "Fairy Stone Crosses" to Miss Marion Carlisle, Mrs. Joseph Grills and Mrs. Arthur Pyear, cited for outstanding services.

Social Hour
At the after service Social Hour held in the Silver Jubilee Hall, Reeve Theodore Cooney, Deputy Reeve Jas. Spry and Councillor Earl McAdam, of Rawdon Township, were present and spoke briefly. It was a quality hallmark of public relations when Reeve Cooney addressed the gathering as "neighbours." The interest of the Rawdon Council in supporting their attendance the improvements at Carmel is fully appreciated.

Reeve Harry Morrow by his attendance gave his blessing to the work of many citizens of Sidney who have shared the renovations at Carmel. He was unable to remain for the social hour owing to illness in his family.

Several spoke briefly including Messrs. George Heasman, Robt. A. Patterson, Wesley B. Steinhauer, Harold Hagerman, Fred Vandervoort, Mrs. A. (Continued on Page Eight)

- COMING EVENTS -

REBEKAHS PLEASE NOTE. SISTER Emma Bothwell, President of the Rebekah Assembly will visit Belleville District No. 4, in Stirling Community Hall, Tuesday, April 13th. All members plan to attend. 18-1p

THREE-ACT COMEDY PLAY AND Pie Social, "Mr. Bean from Lima," in Carmel Jubilee Hall; Friday, April 9th at 8 o'clock sharp, presented by George St. Young People's of Peterborough and sponsored by Carmel Young Adult Group. Admission: Adults 60c; children 35c. 17-2

FISH AND CHIP SUPPER AUSPICES St. John's Men's Club, held in St. John's Church, each Friday in Lent at 6 p.m. Admission, adults 70c; children 40c; take-out order 50c, to be ordered before 5 p.m. 12-6

DANCING 9 P.M. TO 1 A.M. EVERY Friday at Edgewater Park, Campbellford. Round and Square dancing. The latest in modern and old time. Jack McCaugher and the Trent Valley Ramblers. Songs, requests, fun and prizes. Refreshment booth. Admission 30 cents. 12-4

Mrs. Ernest Gifford Hostess To River Valley Women's Institute

On Thursday afternoon, April 1st, approximately thirty ladies and several children gathered at the home of Mrs. Ernest Gifford for the annual meeting of River Valley Women's Institute. Mrs. Edward Heasman presided and conducted the opening exercises.

Mrs. J. L. Donohoe, who has served as Secretary-Treasurer for the past five years, gave a full report, and there is a good bank balance and a substantial bond. Considerable correspondence was read which included thank you notes, a letter from Mental Health re their play and from Capt. Mae Kent re Girl Guide Cookie Day. Fifteen dollars was voted to assist with the coming plebiscite in Sidney.

Mrs. Roy Bush read a letter from Inspector Macklem and she and her committee were authorized to purchase standard and holder and complete the job of arranging the nylon Coronation flag donated to River Valley School last year.

Several folk ill in hospital will be remembered with cards. Three dollars was voted to teacher and pupils at River Valley School for their assistance with the card parties. The Extension Service were discussed and Mrs. Gilbert Finkle offered her home for a Sewing Course. 1st choice, Dressmaking No. 1 and second choice Children's Clothing.

Last year's reports of Standing

Committees are to be forwarded to the proper District Officials as soon as possible.

Auction Sale

Mrs. Edward Heasman auctioned off all the accumulation of prizes, fish pond articles and bazaar donations and over \$11.00 was realized. This afforded a great deal of merriment as well as profit.

Presentation

The President at this juncture had a very pleasant duty to perform when on behalf of R.V.W.I., she presented the only charter member, Mrs. Percy Utman, with a life membership certificate and badge. She read an appropriate address of appreciation and closed with a poem, "For Home and Country."

Mrs. Utman graciously thanked the Institute for their remembrance and hoped that the idea would continue so that other Institute members would be so honoured.

English

Link Institute

Mrs. Percy MacMullen read a letter from the link institute which told how the ladies in England appreciated Canadian magazines and papers. Three parcels of magazines will be forwarded in April by Mrs. S. McIntosh, Mrs. Murney Scott and the Link Secretary.

Valedictory

The President, Mrs. Edward Heasman, gave her valedictory address as she has served a two-year term as President. She graciously thanked each individual officer for their assistance, with thanks to members, teacher and pupils, and especially her mother, Mrs. Ina Free.

A vote of thanks was expressed to all retiring officers by Mrs. John Kane and on motion all salaries are to be paid.

Mrs. Ralph Utman and Mrs. Don Donohoe, who acted as nominating committee, presented their report and later the election took place.

New Officers

President — Mrs. Ross Bush
Past President — Mrs. Ed. Heasman
1st Vice-Pres. — Mrs. Jack Sager
2nd Vice-Pres. — Mrs. Gilbert Finkle
Secretary-Treasurer — Mrs. J. L. Donohoe

Link and Parcel Secretary and Press Secretary — Mrs. Percy MacMullen

Home and Country Convener — Mrs.

John Kane

District Director — Mrs. Edward Heasman

Pianist — Mrs. Ralph Utman

Entertainment Conveners

November — Mrs. Ed. Heasman

December — Mrs. Ralph Utman

January — Mrs. Gerald Brooks

February — Mrs. Gilbert Finkle

March — Mrs. Harry Vandervoort

Directors

Town — Mrs. Murney Scott

Over to river — Mrs. Jack Bush

Town Line — Mrs. Don Scott

Frankford Rd — Mrs. Bob Philip

Pig Street — Mrs. Roy Irven

Standing Committees

Agriculture and Canadian Industries — Mrs. Gilbert Finkle and Mrs. Ernest Carr

Historical Research and Current Events — Mrs. Roy Bush and assistant

Home Economics and Health — Mrs. Don Scott and assistant

Citizenship and Education — Mrs. Jack Bush and Mrs. Ralph Utman

Community Activities and Public Relations — Mrs. Gerald Brooks and assistant

Resolutions — Mrs. Don Donohoe

Auditors — Miss Marion Carlisle and Mrs. Allan McDonell.

The new President, Mrs. Ross Bush, spoke briefly and outlined some new business.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Murney Scott and will be mostly a business session.

It was decided on motion of Mrs. John Kane, Mrs. Rose Carr and Mrs. Don Scott that everyone in the River Valley Community and outside members and their families be remembered with fruit or flowers if they are ill. The price to be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children. It was also decided that flowers (at an approximate cost of \$10.00) for funerals be taken from Institute funds instead of the usual collection. There are only a few families in the River Valley community who do not belong to the Institute and they are welcome to give a donation to this organization at any time to help carry on its mission "For Home and Country."

The hostess and lunch committee served refreshments and a vote of thanks was expressed for hospitality.

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Frank Weaver Born Under Lucky Star

Frank Weaver, a former Stirling boy, Trenton haberdasher and man about town maintains that he isn't superstitious. He has no fears of the fateful thirteenth. He walks under ladders with impunity. He doesn't regard seven as a lucky number.

However, members of the Trenton Lions Club are becoming convinced that he was born under a lucky star. And with good reason.

For, the aforementioned men's

clothing specialist has won two out of the last three draws held by the service organization. They are a feature of each meeting of the group, held at the Queensway Hotel. And, according to rumor, there is a movement on foot to put the Dundas Street dandy on the "Indian List" for future competitions. —Trenton Courier-Advocate.

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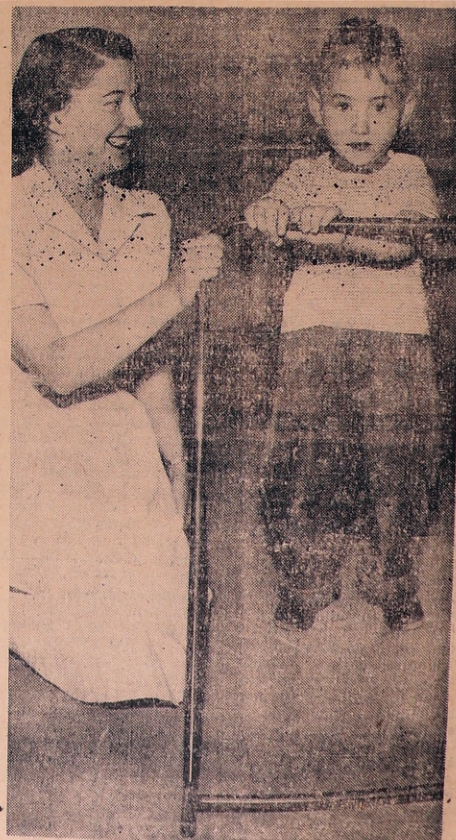
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WOODED CEREBRAL PALSY CENTRE NEAR LONDON

Gary Cuthbert, of Oshawa, is practically walking with the aid of a pusher at the Wooded Cerebral Palsy Centre near London. The Cerebral Palsy Centre is the only one of its kind in Canada and is owned and operated by the Ontario Society for Crippled Children, "Your Easter Seal Society." He is being assisted by staff Physiotherapist Valerie Bathe. Annual Easter Seal Campaign runs from March 18 to April 18 and has an objective of \$500,000.

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St. Paul's—Carmel News Items

(By Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E.)

We commend the canvassers for the Red Cross, the Canadian Institute for the Blind, the Salvation Army Red Shield and all worthy projects.

Happy Memory

One of the fine events of the past week was the distribution of the new telephone directories for the Stirling area giving the house numbers of all subscribers in the municipality. Following the numbering of the Stirling properties this writer had correspondence with the Belleville and Kingston offices of the Bell Telephone Co., inviting this company to include all street numbers in their next Stirling directory. It is a satisfaction to know that this has been done and we have already sent a letter of thanks to the Company.

While laying no claim to this achievement it will at least be a happy memory to our many friends (every time they have occasion to look up a street number) that the under-Shepherd at St. Paul's had a little part in securing these addresses for them.

Palm Sunday

The triumphal entry of Christ into Jerusalem will be marked by special services at St. Paul's, Stirling, next Sunday. At the evening service the choir will interpret Maundrell's Cantata "Olivet to Calvary." This beautiful and popular composition should be heard by every citizen who is not otherwise worshipping. The soloists include Wm. Aylsworth, Mrs. W. Warren, Mrs. W. Wilkins, Jack Bush, Harold Hagerman, Harry Brown, Bryce Philip, Grant Richardson and Thomas Wells.

Holy Week

Following Palm Sunday Services each night special Holy Week Services will be held until the Good Friday Service which will be held in the morning at 10.30 a.m.

The Monday service will be held at the Church of the Prophets at Carmel. It is expected that the Tuesday service will be attended by members of the Woman's Association; the Wednesday service by members of the Woman's Auxiliary; the Thursday service by all Sunday School and Church Officials. The general public is invited to all services. These will be at 8 p.m. each night. Rev. W. S. Irwin will bring the devotional message on Tuesday. Rev. R. R. Bonsteel will bring the message on Good Friday.

The Rite of Confirmation and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the Good Friday service.

From The Boys

Brigade Diary
If he earns your praise bestow it, If you like him, let him know it; Let the words of true encouragement be said; Do not wait till life is over And he's underneath the clover;

For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead.

One ship goes East

One ship goes West
By the self safe wind that blows.
It is the set of the sails
And not the gales
That determines the way it goes.

The Boys Brigade is the oldest boys organization in the British Commonwealth. General Baden Powell, founder of the Boy Scouts, was first a member of the Boy's Brigade. The core of the Boy's Brigade is the Bible Class. Every boy must be enrolled in a Church Bible Class. It has served millions of boys.

The Legend of the Fairy Cross

In a quiet sunny glade, nestled among the rugged foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountain, in Patrick County, Virginia, a section made renowned by the fact that old King Powhatan once held undisputed possession there, was discovered a single quarry of the famed Virginia "Fairy" or "Lucy" stones.

These little curiosities which range in size from one-fourth of an inch to 1½ inches, bear in the most unique form some shape of a cross which has been outlined by Nature's own hand. Many of them are of the St. Andrew variety, others Roman while those most sought are the Maltese.

In that weird spot, where the little wonder-working gems are to be found, the good fairies flourished and had their workshop many hundreds of years ago. This you will probably say, was rather a strange place for Titania's subjects, but were you to visit this charming mountain region you would find every rock and tree infected with a glamour of romance.

In that remote mountain section runs a very pretty legend to the effect that hundreds of years before King Powhatan's dynasty came into power, long before the woods breathed the gentle spirit of the lovely Pocahontas, the fairies were dancing around a spring of limpid water, playing with the naiads and wood nymphs, when an elfin messenger arrived from a strange city far, far away in the land of the dawn, bearing the sad tidings of the death of Christ, and when they heard the terrible story of the crucifixion they wept. And as their tears fell upon the earth they were crystallized into little pebbles, on each of which was formed a beautiful cross. When the fairies had disappeared from the enchanted spot the ground about the spring and the adjacent valleys was strewn with these unique mementoes of that melancholy event.

Not even in the old world, with its quaint and curious lore, is a more beautiful legend to be found, and just how it originated no one knows, but for more than a century thousands of people have held these little crosses of stone in more or less superstitious awe, being firm in the belief that they will protect the wearer against witch-

craft, sickness, accidents and disasters of all kinds.

Every stone is in some shape of a cross, and millions of people are now wearing them in various forms of jewelry.

It is well-known that ex-President Roosevelt and ex-President Wilson, also other prominent people of the United States, as well as some of the crown heads of Europe and prominent officers and men in the European war carried one or more of these little lucky pieces tucked snugly away about them.

Local Association

To recognize unusual service in the Master's Vineyard and to perpetuate a link of interest with this pastorate a panel of seven women will be designated at each church i.e. St. Paul's and the "Church of the Prophets." The number seven is chosen as the perfect number seven is chosen as the perfect Fairy Stone Cross.

At St. Paul's the charter member is Mrs. Walter T. Elliott, (2) Mrs. Robt. A. Patterson, (3) Mrs. Geo. Carlisle, (4) Mrs. Walter Warren, (5) Mrs. Carleton Wright, 6 and 7 are yet to be named.

At Carmel the charter member is Mrs. Frank (Squire) Bailey, (2) Miss Marion Carlisle, (3) Mrs. Joseph Grills, (4) Mrs. Arthur Pyear, 5, 6 and 7 are yet to be appointed. No. 5 will be Mrs. Lorne Brooks.

Wherever a vacancy occurs the survivors of these distinguished women or such of them as can conveniently meet will nominate at least three names to fill any vacancy and from these names will draw the name or names necessary to restore the "perfect number." A fairy stone cross will be provided for each new member so chosen. It is hoped that these women will be a heaven quietly beautifully ministering in the name of Jesus as did the angels of the Seven Churches.

It is expected that full citations can be published when the panels are complete.

Sunday at St. Paul's

Happy birthday was sung for Joan Fraser.

The rush of orders it was announced had delayed the arrival of the Sunday School papers for the second quarter of the year.

Misses Lynda Mayhew and Helen Hawkins were Junior Choir members who sang solos last Sunday. They each did very well. Miss Marlene Carlisle was the Adult Choir soloist. She sang, "There is a Green Hill." A number in keeping with the pre-Easter Lenten Season. Seasonable flowers were sent to the church by Mrs. Nina Morton.

Festival Entries

These are now reaching the Secretary, Mrs. Walter T. Elliott. Already entries have been received from Oshawa, Frankford and Stirling.

Readers of the News-Argus are invited to sponsor some boy or girl, thus giving them an opportunity. Bible Memory Classes should attract the interest of all Sunday School teachers.

Confirmation Class

The last regular Confirmation Class of St. Paul's for 1954 will be held next Sunday at 4.00 p.m. The rite of Confirmation will be administered on Good Friday at 10.30 a.m.

The Lenten Appeal

The Lenten Self Denial Appeal draws to a close. Several prefer to keep their envelopes to return them on Easter or during the Holy Week Services. It is important that everyone share in this effort so that all obligations can be met. Please plan to make your Easter Day offering as large as possible.

Easter Lilies

Although the weather has been cold it is anticipated that Easterday will bring the warmer weather now generally desired. All who can do so are invited to send an Easter Lily to the church.

Mother's Day

Name plates are being mailed this week for the Endowment Fund Directory. It usually takes about three weeks to have these carved. Those in hand will be dedicated on Mother's Day, May 9th.

J. F. R. Douglas Heads Chamber of Commerce

The officers for the ensuing year for the Campbellford Chamber of Commerce were elected at the dinner meeting in the parish hall last week. A dinner was served by the ladies of Christ Church Parish Guild.

The president, J. F. R. Douglas, presided and the election of officers resulted as follows:

President, J. F. R. Douglas; vice-president, E. C. McKeel; secretary, F. G. DeCarrol; treasurer, C. A. Putnam; directors, R. D. McDonald and C. H. Davidson.

Mr. John Wall, of Uxbridge, was the guest speaker. Mr. Wall is the Canadian manager of the Fritz W. Glitsch Co., manufacturers of equipment for the oil industry.

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The blaze, believed caused by a short circuit in an ice cream freezer

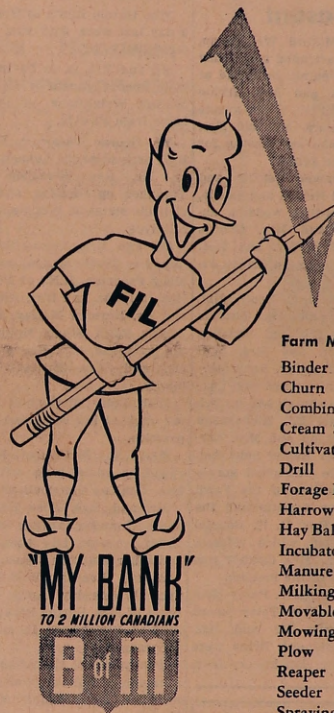
or by a fat fryer explosion, broke out in a snack bar at Bridge and Front Sts in the centre of the town. Ed Stanbury, owner of the snack bar, suffered face and hand burns from the flames when he ran to get help.

Firemen from Hastings, Warkworth and Brighton and a pumper from Peterborough worked with Campbellford volunteers for more than two hours to bring the fire under control.

Four persons were overcome by

smoke. One, Ernest Haig, a retired highway employee, was carried from his room over the burning snack bar shortly after the blaze broke out. The others, all firemen, were overcome as they fought flames burning through the cellars under the stores.

In addition to the snack bar, a grocery, furniture store, shoe store, sporting goods agency, dress shop, cafe, pool room, express office, beauty shop and stationery store were destroyed.

Check-list for the Go-Ahead Farmer

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Equipment:-

Farm Tools
Generators
Pasteurization Plant
Pumps
Refrigeration

Buildings:-

Barn
Dwelling
Garage
Greenhouse
Granary
House for Farm Help
Ice-house
Kiln
Machine Shed
Milk House

Repair and Renovation of Farm Buildings
Poultry House
Silo
Tourist Cabins

Land Improvement:-

Clearing
Ditching
Drainage
Farm Pond
Irrigation
Pumping and Diking
Installations
Purchase and Planting of Fruit Trees
Reclamation and Soil Conservation
Sewage Disposal System
Tiling
Well-sinking

Home Appliances:-

Deep-freeze Unit
Refrigerator
Sewing Machine
Stove
Washing Machine

Light, Heat and Water Systems:-

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Sunday Services

At Local Churches APRIL 11th, 1954

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Church School and Morning Worship
Palm Sunday Special music
West Huntingdon
2.00 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Palm Sunday Service
Special music

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PALM SUNDAY

St. John's, Stirling
10.00 a.m.—Church School
7.30 p.m.—Evensong
8.30 p.m.—Confirmation Class
Holy Week —
Wednesday, April 14th — 8.30 p.m.
Thursday, April 15th — H.C. 10.00 a.m.
Good Friday — 2.30 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



Rawdon Circuit
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. R. R. Bonsteel, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Mount Pleasant
2.30 p.m.—Wellman's
7.30 p.m.—Bethel
Good Friday Service 8.00 p.m. at Wellman's

STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE

Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E., Minister

St. Paul's
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Palm Sunday Service
7.30 p.m.—"Olivet to Calvary" A Sacred Cantata

Carmel
1.30 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Palm Sunday Service
Visitors cordially welcomed to all services.

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, April 11th, 1954
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Belle, C.J.B.Q.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
SPEAKER

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

SUNDAY — 3.00 p.m.
THURSDAY — 8.00 p.m.
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the various Hubble families.

Mrs. Harold Rowe, of Hoard's, spent a day last week with Mrs. Marguerite McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Farrar, Trenton, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman on their return home from Florida.

Mr. George Thrasher, Fort Steele, B.C., arrived at the home of his brother, Mr. Roy Thrasher and Mrs. Thrasher on Monday and will also visit his sister at Wellmans and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Steacy entertained to dinner Sunday evening Miss Mary Freeman, R.N., of Peterborough Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steacy, and Mr. Norman McKay, Port Hope. Miss Edith Stone, Holloway, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and family.

Miss Betty McConnell entertained the choir at her home one evening for practice.

Mrs. A. McCurdy, Foxboro, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard arrived home Thursday, having enjoyed a delightful motor trip through Florida and other southern states.

Mount Pleasant W.M.S. will convene Wednesday, April 14th at the home of Mrs. Burton Sharpe with Mrs. Milford Wrightman in charge of the programme.

The pupils of the Allan School had a couple of holidays owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Audrey Newell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Merrick, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAdam and Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended Carmel re-opening service of Thanksgiving on Sunday evening.

Mr. Fred Saries, Holloway, spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White.

Rawdon Y.P.U. convened at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hadley on Thursday evening. Misses Ruth Sharpe, Ruth Linn and Betty McConnell assisted with the programme.

Mrs. J. Brown and baby, of Radio Beam, Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Miss Doris Sine, Mrs. Marguerite McMullen, Mount Pleasant; Mrs. Earl McMullen, 5th Concession, attended a surprise birthday party on March 31st for Mrs. Sidmer Demorest, William St., Stirling. Miss Doris Sine won the special prize.

Mission Band
Mount Pleasant Rawdon Sunbeam Mission Band convened Sunday morning at the Church with twenty-four children in attendance. Miss Marilyn McConnell opened with the Mission Band hymn and purpose. Raeburn Scott gave his report and the leader, Miss Ruth Linn, outlined the study chapter entitled, "Omen and the Jumbies." Miss Ina Scott played quiet music and Miss Eleanor Smith read the Bible Lesson. Ray Spencer read a selection. Misses Gail Jeffs and Raye David sang a duet. The offering was gathered by Allen Wrightman and Ralph Reid and dedicated by the leader. The Treasurer has remitted \$20.00 to Presbyterian Treasurer for the first three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw, Ivanhoe, Sunday evening.

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Ivanhoe

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleming were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Demille Grant and Vernon, of Crookston, and Mrs. R. Miles and Miss Margaret Moore, Belleville.

Mr. Jack Stephens spent the week-end in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belshaw, of Belleville, visited Mrs. Henry Wallace on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Ray, Donna and Linda and Mrs. Vincent Baker, of Belleville, visited relatives here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood and Mr. P. M. Wood were recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. Herb Clarke.

St. Andrew's Club
Members of West Huntingdon United Church Endeavour's Class and the Fuller Presbyterian Church Mission Circle, visited St. Andrew's Club on Friday evening. The meeting was held in the church and was conducted by Club President John McInroy, who welcomed the visitors.

The meeting opened with quiet music with Mrs. Arthur Hassall at the piano. Following the singing of "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," Mr. Harold Thompson read the Scripture Lesson, found in Luke 22: 1-14. Rev. W. H. V. Walker led in prayer.

The following numbers were given by Fuller Mission Circle with Miss Mary Thompson in charge. Duet, "The Blood That Was Shed on the Old Rugged Cross," Mrs. Harry Redcliffe and Mr. Fred Smith; reading, "What Is Prayer," Mrs. H. Redcliffe; solo, "It's In My Heart," Mrs. E. Wannamaker. A timely and inspiring Lenten message was given by Mr. Earl Wannamaker who based his talk on "For He Hath Made Him to be sin for us."

The last part of the programme was conducted by Mr. George Ashley of the Endeavour's Class and opened with a solo, "O Love of God," by Mrs. Wm. Grant, followed by a reading, "Church Music," by Mr. Mac Saries; duet, "I Am Walking Every Day with Jesus," Mr. and Mrs. John Lainsom.

The meeting closed with the singing of "Christ The Lord Is Risen Today" and the Mizpah Benediction.

Lunch was served and a short social time spent. Mr. George Ashley, on behalf of the Endeavour's Class, and Mrs. H. Redcliffe of the Mission Circle voiced their thanks for the invitation to visit St. Andrew's.

In reply Mrs. Harry Benson expressed appreciation for the fine program presented by the visiting groups.

Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey and family, of Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott spent a few days over the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Hutcheon and boys, Toronto.

Miss Marlene Haggerty, of Menie, spent the week-end with Miss Nancy Chumbley.

Mrs. Harold McCracken and Mr. Cecil Macklin, of Roseneath, and Mr. Milford Macklin, of Toronto, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham.

Mrs. Roy Thrasher, of Mount Pleasant, spent the week-end with Mrs. Paul Sharp. Mr. Thrasher was a tea guest at the same home on Sunday evening.

Miss Muriel Morton was a tea guest Sunday of Miss Shirley Dunham.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel and Beth were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and family were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleming.

Glad to welcome the new cheese-maker, Mr. Charles Blair, Mrs. Blair and baby, to our community.

Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack were tea guests Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, Mount Pleasant. Mr. Geo. Thrasher, of British Columbia, is also a visitor there for a few days.

Holloway

Mrs. Kenneth McMullen, Miss Bessie McMullen, Mrs. Herb Townsend, Mrs. Ernest Wilson and Mrs. Gordon Roth attended the Belleville Presbyterian at Napassee recently.

Kum Double Club
The Kum Double Club met at the home of Leda and Ken Denyes on Wednesday evening with a good attendance.

The program was in charge of Ruth and Gordon Roth. After the Worship Service the President, Lorna Hough, took charge of the business part of the meeting. It was decided that as many people as possible go to Plainfield to their meeting on Friday evening. Plans were made to entertain the Energetic Club from Holloway St. Church, Belleville on April 7th. Plans were also discussed for a Good Friday Service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband, of Napanee, spent Saturday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones and attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Alfred Spencer, of Havelock.

Several of the mothers of the pupils at the Union School met on Saturday afternoon to quilt an embroidered white quilt. It will be sold along with other home-made things at a bazaar to be held at the school in the near future.

Jim Glover, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Billie Morton and other former school friends here.

Fred Petherick spent two days last week at Bancroft.

Chester Melkjohn suffered a cut on the hand while helping to raise part of the Canadian Tire Corporation Building in Campbellford on Monday. It required four stitches to close the wound.

Mrs. Minnie Morton spent a few days last week at Bancroft, returning on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Easton and family, when they were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson were Sunday visitors with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wankamaker, at Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Althouse, of Havelock, and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nicholas and family, Seymour West, were Sunday visitors with their father and sister, Harry Sweet and daughter Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Anderson and son Billie, of Belleville, were Monday supper guests of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson.

Lorne Anderson, of Peterborough, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Lily Anderson and brother, Eldon.

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A quilting and a pot luck dinner will be held in the Community Hall, Wednesday, April 14th. Also used clothing to be brought in the same day.

Births

ROEPER — At Sine Maternity Home, Harold, on Thursday, April 1st, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Roepert, of Springbrook, a daughter, Alice Alida

Death

CASEY, Miss Hanna May — At the Green Rest Home, Stirling, on Sunday, April 4th, Miss Hanna May Casey, Thurlow Township, in her 85th year.

Interment Zion Hill Cemetery

CLARE, George Henderson — At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Benson Mitts, R.R. 2, Holloway, on Monday, April 5th, George Henderson Clare, in his 85th year.

Interment Thomasburg Cemetery.

LEONARD, Henry — At his home, 6th Concession Sidney Township, near Frankford, on Monday, April 5th, Henry Leonard, beloved husband of Stella Haggerty, in his 82nd year.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to my friends and relatives, West Huntingdon W.A. and W.M.S., staff and students of Stirling High School, for flowers, fruit, cards, candy and other gifts and calls during my stay in hospital and since my return home. A special "thank you" to Shirley McKeown, nurse-in-training and Dr. W. Cornett.

18-1p Lois Cooke

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who remembered me during my stay in Kingston General Hospital I wish to say a "thank you."

18-1p Daisy Kent

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the relatives, neighbours, friends and organizations who remembered me in any way during my illness.

18-1p W. J. Detlor

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say "thank you" to our friends and neighbours for cards, fruit and gifts during our stay in the Belleville General Hospital and since returning home.

18-1 Mary and Margaret Anne Sills

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Burton C. Tucker wish to thank friends, relatives and neighbours for their many expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness during their recent bereavement.

18-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Ed. Bateman, Sr., wishes to thank all his friends, neighbours and relatives for cards, boxes and treats received while in Belleville General Hospital and since returning home.

18-1p

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all those who remembered me with cards and treats; a special thanks to St. Paul's Sunday School for the beautiful plant, while a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

18-1 Pearl Mudd

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank all our relatives and friends for gifts, cards, telephone calls and personal calls, following our recent automobile accident.

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After an illness of one week, H. A. (Dick) Seeley, of 161 Water Street, Trenton, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clayton Paul, Belleville, on Thursday, April 1st. The late Mr. Seeley, who was born in Ivanhoe, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Seeley, was in his 63rd year. His wife, the former Bertha Ann Bateman, predeceased him in November of last year.

The late Mr. Seeley, a resident of the Trenton community for the past twelve years, and has lived in Brighton and Belleville. A retired blacksmith and farmer, the deceased was courier on the Trenton R.R. No. 6 mail route for six years. A member of North Trenton United Church, Mr. Seeley was active in all church circles, a member of the official board, and past member of L.O.L. 206 Trenton.

Surviving are two daughters, Annie, Mrs. Clayton Paul, of Belleville, and Mrs. Helen Atkins, of Trenton, and two sons, Harry, of Oshawa, and John, of Cobourg. One son, Gerald, who was killed in action in 1945. Nine grandchildren survive. Two sisters also mourn their brother's passing, Mrs. Bert Thompson, of Picton, and Mrs. Geo. Brooker, of Trenton.

Service was held from King Street United Church, Trenton, on Saturday, April 3rd at 3.15 p.m. Rev. G. J. Minnelly and Rev. H. V. Muxworthy officiated.

Interment was in Mont Nebo Cemetery, Springbrook. Messrs. William Nichol, Glenn Brown, Gordon, Floyd and Elwood Bateman and Earl McMaster acted as pallbearers.

Little -- Heasman
Nuptials Saturday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman, Stirling R.R. 4, was the scene of a pretty wedding ceremony at High Noon on Saturday, April 3rd, when their eldest daughter, Catherine Louise, became the bride of David William Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Little, Belleville.

Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E., officiated, with the wedding party grouped in front of the fireplace and spring blooms were used as decoration in the living room.

Mrs. A. E. Baker, A.T.C.L., furnished appropriate wedding music and Miss Joanne Heasman, sister of the bride, sang before the ceremony, "Hear Our Humble Prayer" and during the signing of the register, "O Perfect Love."

The winsome bride, wearing dusky pink taffeta with corsage of orchids and a baby orchid bandeau, was given in marriage by her father.

Miss Joyce Cranston, Harold, was bridesmaid wearing light blue taffeta with a corsage and bandeau of yellow roses.

Mr. Elmer Graham, Belleville, assisted the groom.

The bride's mother received her guests wearing navy crepe with corsage of white carnations and cornflower. She was assisted by the groom's mother in navy with corsage of yellow roses.

A reception followed with twenty guests enjoying a full course dinner served by Mrs. Clifford Lansing and Mrs. Edward Heasman. The dining room was decorated with pink and white streamers and bells and the table was centred with a tiered wedding cake and bowls of red roses.

Rev. A. E. Baker presided over a brief programme when complimentary remarks were expressed by the groom, Messrs. H. P. Little and George Little, Mrs. Rose Carr, aunt of the bride, and the bride's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Little left on a wedding trip to Toronto and the bride chose a light spring suit with matching accessories. On their return they will take up residence in Belleville.

Guests were in attendance from Toronto, Belleville, Brighton and Stirling R.R. 4.

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Picture a blossom — glazed ham, baked potatoes and creamed celery in their serving dishes, your best china and glasses of chilled apple juice set at each place. A quickly arranged salad belongs in the picture too, and a fluffy Pineapple Chiffon Pie makes a colourful climax to bring the meal to a happy conclusion.

Baked Ham

Place whole or half ham (fat side up) on a rack in the broiling or roast pan. Do not cover or add water. Bake in slow oven of 325 degs. Allow about 3 hrs. for 6 to 8 lbs and 3 1/2 hrs. for 12 lb. ham. About 30 mins. before end of baking, take ham from oven,

slice off the rind, then pour off the dripping from the pan. Score the ham by cutting diagonally. Slant knife slightly making a light cut. Beat 1 cup of red currant jelly with 1/2 cup of brown sugar and spread over ham. Stud with whole cloves and return to oven while you prepare and decoration.

Candied Orange Daisies

Cut orange peel into daisy petals and cook in hot water ten minutes. Drain, cook in hot water again until tender about 5 mins., then add 1 cup sugar and make up amount of water to be 1/2 cup. Simmer orange silvers for 10 to 15 mins. Arrange petals on ham with a slice of gumdrop in centre. Return ham to oven for 15 mins. Bake 2 or 3 times.

Asparagus Salad

Cooked Asparagus
Wedges of Tomato
Lettuce Cups

French Dressing

Grated Old Cheese

Arrange three asparagus stalks in each lettuce cup in a shallow bowl. Add a tomato wedge to each. Shake 2 tbsps. grated old cheese in 1/2 cup French dressing, then sprinkle over salad at serving time.

Pineapple Chiffon Pie

1 cup Pineapple juice, unsweetened
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. gelatine
1/2 cup cold water
3 egg yolks, well-beaten
3 egg whites stiffly-beaten
1/2 cup thick cream, whipped
1 baked 8" pie shell

Combine pineapple juice, sugar, lemon juice and salt; heat until sugar dissolves. Soften gelatine in cold water; stir into hot mixture. Add egg yolks and mix well. Chill in electric refrigerator until partly set (about 40 mins.). Fold in egg whites and whipped cream. Pour into cooked baked pie shell. Keep chilled until serving time.

TAKE A TIP

1. Always use a meat thermometer, if you own one, for the roasts, especially ham. The internal temperature of cooked ham should be 160 degs.

2. Baked potatoes are best when they have been pricked with a fork before baking — also rubbed with the butter wrapping paper. Allow 1 1/2 hrs.

roasting time on the same shelf as Baked Ham.

3. Remember asparagus should be broken from the woody base. Remove scales if sandy and wash thoroughly. Cook covered in a very small amount of boiling, salted water. Allow 15 to 20 minutes constant boiling period.

4. To prepare asparagus for salad: Drain and let cool then store in a covered dish in the electric refrigerator.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. M. R. asks: Why does meringue sometimes form a watery base?

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Mrs. C. W. asks: Why do potatoes placed around the roast remain white instead of brown?

Answer: There may not be sufficient fat on roast in which case add 1/2 cup dripping or shortening to brown potatoes. Some varieties are not mealy enough and to remedy this, they may be parboiled, drained and added to roast 1 hour before end of cooking.

Mrs. T. K. asks: How can I remove unpleasant smell of fish from electric deep-fat fryer?

Answer: Add 1 tsp. dry mustard to 1 quart water and heat to steaming point. Let stand 15 minutes, covered, then wash with sudsy water and steel wool.

NOTICE

Following a recent survey of Ontario daily and weekly newspapers, it has been decided to discontinue publication of "The Mixing Bowl" column, as many newspapers now have available to them other columns relating to the home economics and domestic science fields.

Miss Anne Allan, Ontario Hydro's Home Economist, wishes to thank her many regular readers and all newspaper editors for their interest and co-operation during the past several years. She will, of course, be happy to answer questions at any time, from readers or newspapers, regarding electrical homemaking. Inquiries may be addressed to Miss Anne Allan, Home Economist, Ontario Hydro, 620 University Avenue, Toronto 2, Ont.

First Ore Shipment From Marmora To Start This Fall

What will happen the iron ore destined to pass through Prince Edward County from Marmora and down to the High Shore ore shipping base is told in the following article by W. R. Williams, Picton Times feature writer. It is expected that the first ore shipment will arrive in Picton October 1st of this year.

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A fleet of fifteen ore carriers is operated on the Great Lakes.

The plant clinic is staffed with 12 doctors, eleven nurses, an x-ray technician, a physiotherapist and three clerks. It is housed in brand new quarters, and is modern in every respect. However, serious cases are not kept at the clinic but transferred to hospitals in nearby Lackawanna or in Buffalo. The plant safety record is among the best in the industry. —The Picton Times.

WILL EMPLOY OVER ELEVEN HUNDRED

The supervising engineer in charge of the Imperial Chemical Industries of Canada plant at Millhaven, has reported that already 550 workmen are on the payroll, and by summer over 1,100 will be employed. "There will be plenty of work during this year for engineering tradesmen, particularly electricians, pipefitters sheetmetal workers, riggers and mechanics," he said.

Myron O. Bray Astronomer, Dies In Rochester, N.Y.

A funeral service for Myron O. Bray, machinist and amateur astronomer, was conducted recently from the Farrell Bros. Funeral Home, Rochester, N.Y., by the Rev. Donald R. Coyle, pastor of Ridgeland Community Church. Burial was in Grove Place Cemetery, Rochester.

Mr. Bray died unexpectedly March 19th in his home, 215 Elham Rd. Rochester, N.Y.

An active member of the astronomy section of Rochester Academy of Science, he was known among his colleagues for his ability to construct telescopes. He often helped other members build their telescopes.

For the past 15 years he had been employed by the Falk Mill Supply Co. Inc. He worked from 1915 to 1931 at Consolidated Machine Tool Corp.

A native of Aberdeen, S.D., Mr. Bray went to Rochester as a young man and married Irene Jarvis, of Frankford, Ont.

Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Ann Greenley; a sister, Miss Genevieve Bray, Washington, D.C.; a brother, Leland B. Bray, of Buffalo; a granddaughter and a nephew.

The late Mr. Bray was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lorne Brooks, Stirling, R.R. 3, and visited here on many occasions during the past thirty years.

Geo. H. Clare Died Suddenly

Stricken with a heart attack, George Henderson Clare, died suddenly at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Berson Mitts, Holloway, early Monday morning.

He was born at Moira, 84 years ago, being the son of the late Thomas Harvey Clare and Eliza Moon and had resided in Holloway for the past fifteen years but previously operated a farm at Moira for many years. He was well known and highly respected in his community and his sudden death will bring sincere regrets from a wide circle of friends.

He was a member of the United Church and fraternally was a past Noble Grand and life member of I.O.O.F. No. 293 of Thomasburg.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Berson (Mildred) Mitts, of Holloway, Mrs. Norman (Dorothy) Clarke, of Port Credit; three sons, Albert Clare, of Foxboro, Tice Clare, of Willowdale, Sask., two brothers, William Harvey Clare, of Saskatoon, Sask., and Dr.

Charles Clare, of Winnipeg, Mann., eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

SPRING

The following poems on "Spring" have been composed by pupils of Snarr School, S.S. No. 17, Rawdon. Mr. Gerald Edwards is the teacher.

A Spring Poem

Spring is here,
Warm and clear,
With her cheer
For the year.
Buds are forming,
Ere the storming,
Birds are singing,
Bells are ringing.
Spring is here,
Pure and clear.

Jean Anne Tompkins
Grade 6

Once again, the spring has come,
And all the birds begin to hum.
I went out picking flowers,
And it took me hours and hours.
The buds have all come on the trees,
And soon there will be big green leaves.

I can hear the water running,
Soon the world will all be humming,
Because spring is fast coming.

Mary Clapp,
Grade 2

I like the spring!
The season birds sing.
There are many flowers.
To help our spring flowers,
Bells are ringing,
Children are singing
Spring is here!
Every thing is growing lighter
Even the sun is growing brighter,
Spring surely brings good cheer.

Bonna Dracup,
Grade 4

Spring is ringing out,
The people move about.
The birds all start to sing,
Isn't it the sweetest thing?
Now we can grow the flowers,
To beautify the bowers,
The sun is much, much brighter,
The days are warmer and brighter
Spring is here of another year.

Carol Beckett,
Grade 4

Once again the spring is here,
Which only comes but once a year
It makes the children feel so gay,
To know that summer is on its way.
The squirrels come dancing out,
To run and frisk about.
The flowers that began to appear,
Know that spring is already here,
The spring is here,
To bring us all good cheer.

Helen E. Finch,
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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

HEAVY FERTILIZATION INCREASES TOMATO YIELD

High yields are the secret of profitable tomato growing, and high yields are dependent on soil fertility. That, in concise form, is the finding recorded in an informative and attractive booklet "Tomatoes For Processing," just issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

"Low yields seldom make a profit for the grower while yields of 10 to 20 tons per acre have been quite profitable. The highest yields returned a net profit of \$250.00 per acre," says the publication.

Compiled from studies made by J. B. Nelson of the Farm Economics Branch of the Department of Agriculture, the report indicates that there are numerous factors which affect tomato yields but none is more important than soil fertility. Pointing out that tomatoes, like potatoes and tobacco are "hungry" crops, the report lays emphasis on the fact that a good combination of manure and fertilizers is necessary to ensure a heavy, and thereby profitable crop.

"Total yields improved with each increase in fertilizers reported," says the report. "The group of growers using 600 pounds of fertilizer per acre harvested 8.7 tons of tomatoes; those using 785 pounds of fertilizer picked 9 tons while a few using over 12,300 pounds averaged 10.8 tons per acre."

The heavier application is in line with the recommendations of the Ontario Fertilizer Board where it is suggested that 1,000 pounds of 2-12-10 be used at planting time, to be followed with a side-dressing of 100 pounds of appear to require it, 100 pounds of muriate of potash and, if the plants ammonium nitrate.

The study indicates that the use of starter solutions seems to be a profitable practice. Average return where it was used was about \$20 per acre more than where no starter was applied.

Covering all phases of tomato growing in Ontario, "Tomatoes For Processing" will prove of value to all growers in the province. The study is divided into five parts and includes sections on average production costs and economic factors and physical factors on the individual farm.

The informative bulletins "Tomatoes For Processing" and "Recommendations for Fertilizer Use" prepared by the Ontario Fertilizer Board may be obtained, free of charge by writing the Statistics and Publications Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

HOW TO FACILITATE TREE SHIPMENTS

It won't be very long until reforestation activities are again in full swing and tree applicants are expecting shipments from the nursery. As many applicants in this area may be obtaining requirements from the Orond Nursery, we're taking the liberty of quoting a news item from a recent bulletin issued at the Lindsay Office which describes some of the problems and schedule followed:

"The Department of Lands and Forests Nursery at Orono is preparing to handle the many thousands of trees which will be supplied for planting on County Forests and Crown Land in this district and also the millions going to private individuals throughout the area they serve. As soon as the earth is anywhere near in shape for working, trees are requested by private and government planters alike.

The problem concentrates at the nursery where each order for trees must be considered just as urgent as the next, and so all must be treated similarly.

Notice is printed on all private order forms of those persons picking trees up at the nursery, that three days advance notice be given prior to the stock being called for, if the order involves 3,000 trees or more. If this advice is not given, then the shipping department cannot be expected to accommodate all who request trees each day. Trees are living units which must be handled with care, therefore the speed of packaging cannot be varied to any extent to oblige a large or small number of applicants. Another notice is printed on order forms going to those people wishing to pick up trees at the nursery. This requests the applicant to sign a statement of release on the reverse side of the order form if someone other than the applicant is to pick up the trees. Unless this is done the nursery has been instructed by Head Office in Toronto to refuse to issue the trees involved.

Shipping is held back until sufficient trees of all species are lifted to maintain a continuous full flow through the shipping department. This is done so that the greatest number of people are accommodated, for as soon as one order is delivered into a given area, all people in that area, who have trees on order will expect to receive, or to be able to pick up their orders immediately. This desire cannot be satisfied if the trees are shipped out as soon as they are lifted.

Calves Given To Boys and Girls

Warmly wrapped in canvas against the chill of an exceptionally cold third day of April, 42 purebred Holstein heifer calves were distributed Saturday among boys and girls in the completion of the first stage of the 1953 Norwood Fair project.

This is one of the outstanding agricultural society undertakings in Ontario, and is in direct line with the series of projects such as a competition in Beaver oaks, fertilizer use and tests in crop work, the Hereford calf club last year, and now the switch to black and white calves.

With probably an exception or two, these calves were all born around the first of the year, forepart of January. The objective of uniformity in size and appearance was noticed by all those who turned out for the dispersal of this young herd of strangers at Norwood Fair Grounds.

Advised On Care

The calves were the most comfortable looking group in that chill air Saturday. Lindsay Anderson of Massey-Harris Farms, advised the young folks on the care of their Holsteins, with details of feeding and management which should be the responsibility of each of the boys and girls.

G. A. Brethen, fair president, offered his encouragement and complimented the parents on their interest and other phases of co-operation. The calves were distributed by lot, and after all the attention that was given to their purchase up in York, most of them coming from that county, it was stressed that there was very little difference in quality, at least insofar as selection could effect it.

The 42 boys and girls are eligible for 4-H Club membership, and also for the prize money that is offered for their class at Norwood Fair.

Labor Lack Speeded Farm Mechanization

The farmer's move toward increasing mechanization has been prompted by a lot of things, and a number of these factors are listed in a recent pamphlet published by the Ontario Agricultural College under the title Ontario Farm Business.

In this booklet S. H. Lane says the number of tractors on Ontario farms increased from 35,000 to 105,000 during the 10-year period, 1941 to 1951. In the same period the number of farms using electric motors increased from 23,000 to 45,000.

Lack of farm labor, he says, is one reason for the change on the farm. The number of agricultural workers decreased by 70,000 during the same decade, although wages were going up. In Eastern Canada the farm wage rates had jumped 347 per cent by 1953, while prices of farm machinery had increased by 95 per cent from the 1935-39 level.

Advent of the tractor meant not only replacement of the horse, but also the banishment of the walking plow. A whole new line of farm machinery was needed, and the value of machinery on Ontario farms increased from \$150,000,000 in 1941 to \$323,000,000 in 1951.

Drudgery of farmwork, of course, gets the credit for a lot of machinery sales. It has been estimated, says Mr. Lane, that the average farmer operating a 25-cow dairy herd lifts 500 tons of hay, manure, milk, etc., at least once per year.

This, it is claimed, represents more physical exertion than required by a worker in any other occupation, including coal mining.

It is small wonder, therefore, says Mr. Lane, that the farmer has been quick to utilize electricity and hydraulic equipment to eliminate some of this drudgery.

Then too, once the use of modern equipment became typical in an area it became virtually impossible for a successful farmer to get along without it. Wherever labor was required, workers wanted jobs on farms that were well mechanized.

Purchase of machinery, says the article, is a sound decision only where it enables the farmer to increase or at least maintain the spread between gross income and total costs. Farm machinery can be used for only a small portion of the year.

Economical use of machinery is dependent on increasing the output from the machine. In other words milking machines will produce more milk only if used on more cows, and forage harvesters more profit only if used on more acres.

Mechanization of the farm can never be a substitute for good management and, in fact, increases the need for good management, since a larger production is necessary to meet the increased costs attached to machine ownership.

OAT AND BARLEY VARIETIES FOR EASTERN ONTARIO

Illustration Stations in Eastern Ontario are intensively used to evaluate cereal varieties, particularly oats and barley. The material produced by the plant breeders is given final testing on the Stations. The results have a very important bearing on whether a variety will be licensed and distributed, or whether, due to undesirable agronomic characteristics such as lack of yield, straw strength or disease resistance, it is discarded. In the period 1943-1953, over six thousand cereal plots have been grown under varying conditions of soil, climate and cereal disease. All the recent cereal varieties produced by the Central Experimental Farm have been carried on Illustration Station tests prior to being named says L. M. Casserly. In addition promising material from other sources is carried.

A review of the results of cereal testing for a nine year period at nine different locations strongly indicates that no one variety is consistently superior. However there definitely are varieties particularly suited to specific conditions of soil, climate and cereal diseases. The oat variety Abegweit, a sister of Beaver, and possessing medium rust resistance has been a generally satisfactory variety. In areas where rust is serious, some yielding ability may have to be sacrificed in favour of increased rust resistance and in such instances the oat variety, Lanark is valuable. Where an early variety is essential, Lanark is again useful as is also the new Guelph variety Simcoe. On light soils, the somewhat late maturing but very vigorous variety Roxton may be used to advantage. The short-strawed variety Clinton has a place on very fertile soils where lodging is a serious problem.

In barley studies, the long time standard malting variety O.A.C. 21 is the lowest in yield of the varieties tested. The newer malting variety,

Montcalm, is the highest in yield. Both of these varieties are somewhat lacking in straw strength. Where the soil is high in fertility, larger yields are harvested when the new feed barley, Fort, is used.

There are two new oat varieties and one barley, which on the basis of one year's testing, appear to have promise for the future. The oat varieties are Rodney and Garry. These varieties carry considerable disease resistance and appear to have yielding ability. A new feed barley, Husky, appears to live up to its name in yielding ability and straw strength. The results of the rather intensive testing of cereal varieties in Eastern Ontario strongly indicates there is considerable adaptation of varieties to local conditions. Yields secured from varieties on locations reasonably near provide a guide to the farmer in selecting a variety for use on his farm. However, in certain instances a farmer might be well advised to try for himself, a number of drill width strips in a test to ascertain how new varieties will behave under conditions existing on his own farm. At the same time, it must be remembered that suitable farm management practices are also important in obtaining and retaining continued satisfactory grain yields.

CONSERVATION NEWS!

Catches of Lake Trout Up Following Winter Closure

Fishermen have been out in large numbers on Canoe and other lakes in Frontenac County since the season opening for Lake Trout, March 1st and success has been excellent according to most reports.

Best fishing, according to Conservation Officers Bruce Page and Ed. Shears has been in the seven lakes closed to winter fishing during the period October 5th to February 28th, particularly Canoe Lake. The other six lakes are also yielding good catches and evidently better than adjoining trout waters which are open except for the general one month closure during the fall spawning period.

Market For Red Fox

We understand this may be a good time to buy some red fox skins if you're interested in making up an attractive, if somewhat unusual, bedspread. A sample displayed at the Sportsmen's Show recently, apparently caught the fancy of the crowd and it could be that a market will again develop for the fur, now selling at 50c to \$1.00 a pelt.

Tanning would only be necessary for the back portion and the necessary permit can be obtained from the District Forester's Office at Tweed, plus the usual 10c royalty on each pelt tanned. To buy the skins in the first place all you require is a Restricted Fur Buyer's License purchased from the local Conservation Officer for a dollar.

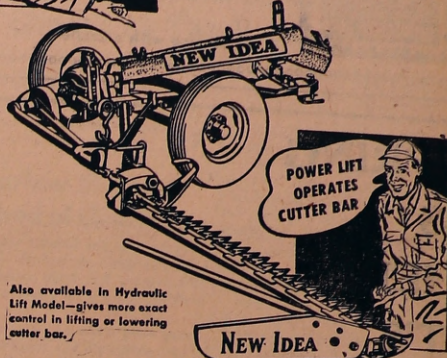
Hunters Fined For Illegal Hunting

Three hunters apprehended for shooting a deer out of season appeared in court last week and were forcibly reminded that it's much wiser to abide by the regulations. Charges were laid by Conservation Officer T. A. Stafford against an Ottawa man and two residents of Renfrew County who each paid \$50.00 and costs.

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With the Fire Season opening officially on April 1st, the following regulations are being given special emphasis:

Work Permits — All previous permits expired March 31st, and new authority will be granted on application to the District Forester at Tweed. Application Forms may also be obtained from Chief Ranger Officers at Bancroft and Dacre.

Except where land is being cleared for agricultural purposes, a work permit is required before carrying on any logging, mining or industrial operation, right-of-way clearing, road, dam or bridge construction, operating a sawmill, or any other summer operation liable to cause an accumulation of slash or debris within the fire district.

Burning Permits — No person is permitted to set out fire within the fire district from April 1st to October 31st, except for cooking or obtaining warmth without first obtaining a burning permit.

Permits may be obtained from the Chief Rangers at Bancroft and Dacre or the nearest forest ranger. To avoid danger during the spring fire hazard, it is unlikely burning will be authorized at that time and until new growth is well advanced.

Camp Fires and Smoking Materials — Every person setting out fire out of doors for cooking or warmth in the

Fire District during the fire season, April 1st to October 31st, shall select a place free from inflammable debris, exercise every precaution and thoroughly extinguish the fire before leaving. The use of thermos kits is recommended for lunching out as a fire prevention measure.

The regulations also require that no person may drop or dispose of any cigarettes, pipe ashes or other smoking materials in the fire district without first making certain that they're extinguished. Campfires must be carefully put out and made safe before leaving.

Townships in the Tweed Fire District where the above regulations apply are as follows:

Lake, Tudor, Grimsthorpe, Wollaston, Limerick, Cashel, Faraday, Duncannon, Mayo, Herschel, Montague, Carlow, McClure, Wicklow, Part of Bangor south and west of Kaministiquia Lake, Anglesea, Ettingham, Abinger, Ashby, Denbigh, Barrie, Clarendon, Palmerston, Miller, South Canotia, North Canotia, Raglan, South part of Radcliffe, Lyndoch, South part of Brudenell, Matawatchesan, Griffith, Sebastopol, Brougham, South half of Grattan, Blithfield, Bagot, Darling and Lavant.

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Reeve West Opposed To Pay Increase For County Councillors

Pay increase for members of County Council will come up for discussion at the sessions of this body being held this week.

A recommendation from the finance committee called for members' pay to be increased to \$10 per day for council session and to \$8 per day for committee work, plus 10 cents per mile mileage. Present rate of pay is \$8 for council and \$7 for committee work with five cents mileage.

Reeve Russell West, of Stirling, chairman of the finance committee, said the recommendation was not passed unanimously by his committee. He said he had opposed the motion because he did not think this was the proper time to increase wages "especially when things are so uncertain."

The same attitude was taken by Reeves Earl Sager and T. C. Graham.

Reeve T. Tryon, of Bancroft, said council pay was too low, noting that pay of House of Commons members and that of members of the Senate had been increased.

"I agree there is a certain amount of honor in serving as a councillor, but I don't approve of working solely for honor," he said. "I have to pay 100 cents on the dollar and I expect others to do the same."

"I don't think the reeve of Bancroft means just what he said," returned Reeve Sager. "I'd hate to see the day when county councillors come to council for what they get out of it."

The question was referred to by-law without further discussion.

Won't Release Pupils To Help On Farms

For the first time in 12 years, no provision is being made for the early release of pupils to help out on farms, Ontario education department officials said recently.

The program, discontinued following a recommendation of the federal-provincial farm labor committee, reached its peak in 1944 with a total student labour force of 4,265.

A decline in the demand for such workers and a sharp increase in operating costs resulted in abandonment of the program.

Entered Into Rest

MISS HANNA MAY CASEY

Miss Hanna May Casey, Thurlow Township, died at the Green Rest Home Stirling, Sunday, April 4th, after an illness of six years' duration. She was in her 85th year.

The deceased was born in Thurlow Township, the daughter of the late James Casey and Mary Winter. She lived in Thurlow Township, Campbellford and Belleville prior to coming to the Green Rest Home six years ago.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Florence Lloyd, Toronto; Miss Annie Casey, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Ada Ward, R.R. 2, Holloway, and nieces and nephews.

She was a member of the United Church.

The funeral took place from the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, on Wednesday, April 7th, at 3.00 p.m.

Interment Zion Hill Cemetery.

HENRY LEONARD

Henry Leonard, 6th Concession of Sidney Township, near Frankford, died at his late residence on Monday, April 5th, after being in failing health for some time. He was in his 82nd year.

The deceased was born in Marmora Township, the son of the late Richard Leonard and Martha McMullen and had lived in Sidney for the past 50 years.

He is survived by his wife, the former Stella Haggerty, one son, Donald Leonard, of Sarnia, and two daughters, Mrs. Ernest (Annie) Vallant, of Port Whitby, and Mrs. Arthur (Bernice) Babcock, of Derby, N.Y.

Also surviving him are two brothers, John, of Campbellford and James, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; one sister, Mrs. Ellen Haggerty, Stirling, and six grandchildren.

The deceased had been a farmer all his life. He was a member of Trinity Anglican Church, Frankford. He was a veteran of the First World War.

Buick Taken From Used Car Lot On Foxboro Rd.

Theft of a late model Buick from Elliott's used car lot on the Foxboro Road was reported to Provincial Police Monday morning. The car was found missing when salesmen reported for work.

The thieves broke into the used car lot office and took the keys with which to start the car.

Delays Pickerel

Last year at this time, after two or three weeks warm weather, pickerel were running in most southern sections of the District. So far this Spring there is no indication that fish are beginning to move to spawning grounds.

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Local and Personal

Mrs. Clarke Rodgers returned home from Belleville Hospital on Sunday.

Dr. Shirley M. Baker, of Toronto, spent the week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Baker.

Fred McCutcheon, who underwent an eye operation in Belleville Hospital recently, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. I. Hatton returned home Monday from a three weeks' holiday in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bateman, Belleville, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Eggleton, of Toronto, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eggleton.

Dr. and Mrs. Patrick McCarthy, of Toronto, were dinner guests Sunday at the Parsonage.

Mrs. J. H. Beatty, of Hillsholme, has returned home after spending ten days in Kingston General Hospital.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Mac Holden and children, Donna and Delores, of Sarnia, and Mrs. Laura Hagerman, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Greenley are spending this week in Toronto with their son, William Greenley and Mrs. Greenley.

Word was received by Mrs. Harry Fanning on Wednesday that her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Moran, of Frankford, was seriously ill. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wes Moore, Arnprior, spent the week-end with her father, Mr. Dave Cotten and on Sunday they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bennett, Susan and Douglas, of Peterborough, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eggleton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Greenley and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morton returned home Friday after spending a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good and Janet Anne, of town, and Miss Roberta Good, Kingston, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, Lanark, Ont.

Mrs. W. H. V. Walker is attending the annual Toronto and Kingston Synodical of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Barrie this week. Mrs. Walker is Library Secretary of the Synodical.

Misses Margaret Hay and "Pat" Pinkerton, of Edmonton, Alta; Miss Nora Jones, Elmvalle, and Miss Margot James, of Trenton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead.

Re-Opening Service Carmel Church

(continued from page one)

E. Baker, Rev. Miriam Collins, Wm. Aylesworth and others spoke messages of congratulations and commendation.

Dainty refreshments were served by a fine battery of Carmel Woman's Association members under the leadership of Mrs. Joseph Grills, President. Rev. W. S. Irvin pronounced the benediction.

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Rebekahs of District Hold Reception For President Rebekah Assembly

Five Lodges of District Participate In Programme — Over Two Hundred Present

With over two hundred and fifty in attendance the reception by District No. 4 for Miss Emma Bothwell, of Ottawa, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, in Stirling Community Hall, on Tuesday night was a decided success. In addition to large delegates from Tweed, Thomasburg, Madoc, Belleville and Stirling lodges, who comprise District No. 4, visitors were present from Ancaster, Hazelton, Port Rowan, Campbellford, Peterborough, Lennoxville, Que., and Saskatoon, Sask.

Other dignitaries of the Order in attendance were Mrs. Isabel Carr, of Toronto, Past Assembly President; Mrs. Edith Oberholzer, of Port Rowan, Color Bearer of the Rebekah Assembly and Mrs. Edna Fox, of Stirling, District Deputy President.

Each lodge of the District had a part in the meeting with the officers of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, led by Noble Grand Neva Vandervoort, in charge of the opening exercises and business.

The officers of Tweed Lodge conferred the degree on four candidates from Quintana Lodge, Belleville, in a very impressive manner.

The draping of the charter in memory of Christina Land, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly, was carried out by officers of Quintana Chapter, Belleville.

The closing ceremonies were ably carried out by the officers of Crescent Rebekah Lodge, Thomasburg.

Presentations During The Evening

The Assembly President was presented with an umbrella, a handbag and a pair of coloured sheets on behalf of District No. 4, by Mesdames L. Farrel, N. Embury and L. Parks, members of Oakdale Lodge, Madoc.

Mrs. Isabel Carr, of Toronto, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, was presented with a cup and saucer on behalf of Laurel Lodge, Stirling, by Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. L. Coulter, while Mrs. Ken Mumby and Mrs. John Kane, of Stirling, made a similar presentation to Mrs. Edith Oberholzer, of Port Rowan, Color Bearer of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario.

The presentation of a relish dish to Mrs. Edna Fox, of Stirling, District Deputy President, was made by Mrs. E. Munro and Mrs. C. Macklin.

Assembly President Gives Address

In her address Miss Bothwell spoke of the good work done by Rebekah Oddfellowship throughout the Province and of the many new lodges being instituted during the past year. She also spoke of the C.P. and T. Fund and the need of a blood bank, while the fine work being done at the home in Barrie, Ont., was also eulogized by the speaker. She also complimented the Tweed lodge for the efficient and capable manner in which the degree was conferred and all who had any part in arranging and carrying out the meeting.

Short addresses were also given by Mrs. Isabel Carr, Mrs. Edith Oberholzer, Mrs. Fox and others. Dainty refreshments were served to bring a very successful evening to a close.

Lyons -- Juby Nuptials At Foxboro

A pretty spring wedding was solemnized on Saturday, April 10th at 2 p.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Foxboro, by Rev. W. H. V. Walker, of Stirling, when Grace Irene Juby, of Foxboro, became the bride of Everett John Lyons, of Foxboro.

Miss Lois Wilson, Belleville, was bridesmaid and Mr. Douglas Goodfellow, Canifield, attended the bridegroom.

The reception was held at the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Juby, Foxboro. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons will reside on the groom's farm at Foxboro.

P.O. Hours

Tomorrow being Good Friday, and a statutory holiday, the public wicket at the local Post Office will be open only from 8 to 9 a.m. The same hours will prevail on Easter Monday. There will be no rural mail delivery on Good Friday.

Large Beaver Caught In Trap

"The north is moving south," says Fred Anderson, of Anderson's Island, dean of the trappers along the Trent River, and he has the proof for it. On Tuesday morning when making the rounds of his traps he discovered a large beaver caught in a muskrat trap.

Father Dies In France

We regret to announce the sudden passing of Mr. Abel Villetorte at the home of his daughter Madame Jean Barthe in Foix, France. Mr. John Villetorte left by plane for France last Thursday. The funeral was held in Salles, Gironde, on Tuesday, April 13th.

Funeral of William Maynes

The funeral was held at his late residence, 146 Baker Street, Stirling, on Friday afternoon, April 9th. His pastor, Rev. A. E. Baker officiated at the service and Mrs. Roy Eggleton contributed a vocal selection.

The bearers were Messrs. Hector Eggleton, Charles Devolin, Ernest Wanamaker, Harry Francis, Harold Juby and Percy Utman.

Interment was made in Stirling Cemetery.

Local and Personal

Mrs. W. J. Whitty, of Peterborough, spent the week-end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitehead spent a couple of days in Toronto this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott and daughter, Dianne, of Brampton, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.

Mr. Malcolm Cook, Peterborough, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eggleton, of town.

Miss Emma Bothwell, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Laycock and Mrs. Clarence Howard, of Kingston, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Thos. Laycock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith returned to their home on the Oak Hills on Sunday, after a two months' vacation in Florida.

Word was received by Lorne Wilson of town, of the death of his brother-in-law, Frank Vice, in Oshawa on Monday.

Mr. Tom Patterson, medical student at Toronto University, is spending the Easter holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Patterson.

Friends of Glen Anderson will regret to learn that he is a patient in Belleville General Hospital, where he was taken by Duffin's Ambulance on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Hugh Morton spent the week-end in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beatty. Mr. Don Morton, Calgary, returned with her and spent Monday in Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke and Evelyn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGee.

Mrs. Isabel Carr, of Toronto, Past President of the Ontario Rebekah Assembly, is a guest at the home of Mrs. R. B. Duffin this week.

Dr. S. R. Laycock, who has recently retired as Dean of Education at the University of Saskatchewan, and who has spent the winter in Toronto writing a book, visited his sister-in-law, Mrs. Thos. Laycock, over the week-end.

LECTERN PRESENTED TO ST. JOHN'S

At the Palm Sunday evening service Mr. Lorne Ash and Mr. Ray Mallory, Wardens of the Church, officially received on behalf of the congregation, a beautifully carved oak Eagle Lectern, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Morrow. The gift is in honour of their grandchildren and was placed in the church on April 8th, the 40th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Morrow's wedding.

An eagle lectern is appropriate for St. John's Church as the Apostle's emblem, or symbol, is the eagle, signifying the great heights to which the writer of the fourth Gospel leads his readers with regard to the divine nature of Christ.

The first lesson from the new Lectern was read by Mr. Jack Chard, the second lesson by Mr. R. Andrews, Mrs. B. Glendinning sang the solo, "Praise The Lord O My Soul," by Wesley. The Lectern will be dedicated by the Rector on April 25th.

Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 9th instead of May 2nd. The Bishop will be in Kingston on the 2nd to greet Archbishop Barfoot, the Primate of all Canada, who is to speak there.

Cantata "Olivet To Calvary" Presented at St. Paul's Palm Sunday

Large Congregations and Beautiful Flowers — Choir Entertained After Service

Services in keeping with this special day were held at St. Paul's and Carmel Churches. At the morning service at St. Paul's the Royal Choir sang "All In the April Evening." The men's quartet Messrs. Harry Brown, Jack Bush, Grant Richardson and Bryce Philip sang "The Palms." The Minister's text was "Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord." Memorial flowers graced the Holy Table, the thoughtful gift of the loved ones of the late Wm. Maynes.

Carmel

In a Church atmosphere by lovely Spring flowers and plants regular afternoon services were resumed. Birthday greetings were extended to Messrs. Joseph Grills, Everett Grills and Ernest Carlisle.

Olivet to Calvary

St. Paul's Choir excelled any previous service of this kind on Sunday evening. In chorus and solo with shadings and diction which gave evidence of long and careful training and thrilling organ accompaniments the narrative of the arrest, trial and crucifixion of Jesus was interpreted. The solo parts were generally gems of vocal accomplishment. Especially praiseworthy were Mr. Wm. Aylsworth (Bass) and Mr. Douglas Pyear (Tenor), each of whom sang several numbers. Mr. Bryce Philip was heard in the solo "Come Unto Me." This was his maiden solo and in it he gave great promise of a long and happy interest in sacred praise. Mr. Thomas Wells another young bass soloist ably sang the lines of Pilate. Mr. Grant Richardson's solo indicated that he is now rapidly maturing in the bass voice. He was never heard in better voice form and will be a soloist in great demand. Mr. Harold Hagerman and Mr. Harry Brown excelled themselves.

The soprano soloists, Mrs. Walter Warren, Mrs. Wm. Wilkins and Mrs. Wm. Grant, were gleaming in color, warmth and feeling. These mothers are not only gifted in voice but what is more important they are loyal followers of Jesus Christ.

The After Blessing

Mrs. Walter T. Elliott and Mrs. R. A. Patterson entertained St. Paul's Choir and their friends at the "Mansion House" after the evening service last Sunday night. The warm hospitality extended in this "Bethany" was suitably acknowledged by Mr. Harry E. Brown. Mrs. Wm. Wilkins, Pres., announced that the choir would be in the "loft" for the Good Friday service. Mr. Geo. Carlisle feelingly thanked the Choir and its leader for their fine Palm Sunday Ministry.

MRS. J. C. MCGEE HOSTESS TO C.W.L.

The April meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held at the home of Mrs. Clinton McGee. The meeting opened with the League Prayer by President Mrs. Frank Long. The minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's report was given by Miss Alice O'Donnell.

A very outstanding paper, "The Passion of Our Lord," was given by Mrs. Edward Uniacke. There were two new officers nominated — Treasurer, Mrs. R. LaChapelle and Second Vice-President, Mrs. E. Uniacke. The other officers will remain for another year.

Business was discussed and it was decided that the ladies would have a social evening in May. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Long. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Fraternal Visit

R. E. Fox, Junior Warden of the Grand Encampment of Ontario, Thos. Spry, E. T. Ward and W. H. Patterson, attended a meeting of Picton Encampment on Friday night last.

Red Cross Appeal Nets \$450.00

The recent canvas in Stirling for the Canadian Red Cross netted approximately \$450 according to an announcement on Tuesday by Reeve R. K. West, Chairman of the local committee. The local committee wishes to thank the canvassers and all those who contributed in any way to the success of the canvas.

Farmers' Meeting Here Tuesday

A meeting of interest to farmers will be held in the Agricultural Office, Stirling, on Tuesday next, April 20th at 1.30 p.m., when the prevention and control of Brucellosis will be discussed.

Mr. R. H. Graham, Associate Live Stock Commissioner for the Ontario Department of Agriculture, will be the guest speaker and a special invitation is extended to Reeves and Councillors of Townships. Thousands of dollars are lost every year in Hastings County due to outbreaks of Brucellosis (contagious abortion) all of which could be avoided by Calftlood vaccination.

Shower Held For Bride And Groom

About 80 people from the surrounding district gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman, Thursday evening, April 8th, in honour of the newlyweds, David and Catherine Little.

Mr. Glenn Bush acted as master of ceremonies. Community singing was enjoyed by all with Mrs. Ralph Utman at the piano. Humorous readings were given by Mrs. Jack Bush, Mrs. Jack Sager, Mrs. Ralph Utman, Miss Adeline Bush, Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh and Mrs. P. MacMullen; also an appropriate vocal solo by Mrs. Don McIntosh. Two piano selections were given by Master Kenneth Sager.

Brief appropriate remarks were made by Mr. Harold Little, Mr. Geo. Heasman, and Rev. A. E. Baker.

Mrs. Clifford Lansing read an address and a grand miscellaneous assortment of gifts were unwrapped by the bride and groom. Many of the gifts were sent in by friends who could not be present. A beautiful lunch was served by the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Little and Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman join Catherine and David in extending to all these good people their sincere appreciation for the entertaining and heart warming evening, and for their most generous contributions toward the start-

Congratulations

Our congratulations to Mr. George Post who has been awarded a valuable overseas scholarship as a representative of Queens University. He has brought honour to his home, his church and community.

In Hospital

Friends of Mrs. Clayton Tucker will regret to learn that she is a patient in Belleville Hospital, where she was taken on Sunday.

Bowling Scores

In the Energetic Bowling League this week high single went to Ethel Mace, 233 and high triple to Nora Wannamaker, 501.

Attend Dedication of New I.O.O.F. Hall

R. E. Fox, Junior Warden of the Grand Encampment, I.O.O.F., of Ontario, Mrs. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sager, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tanner, Mr. Thos. Spry and Miss Gena Spry attended the dedication ceremonies of the new I.O.O.F. Hall in Campbellford, on Saturday night.

During the ceremonies Mr. Fox and Mrs. R. Wynn, Past Noble Grand of Loch Lomond Rebekah Lodge, Campbellford, made the presentation of a Bible in memory of the late Robert Fox, to Campbellford I.O.O.F. Lodge.

Death Claims Agnes Mae Currie

Following a lengthy illness the death of Miss Agnes Mae Currie occurred at her home, Stirling R.R. 4, this (Thursday) morning, in her 67th year.

She was born in Stirling, the daughter of the late James Currie, a former publisher of the Stirling News-Argus, and Charlotte Maybee, and had spent her entire life in the district. She assisted her father in his business and was well and favourably known by a large circle of friends, who regret her passing. She was a member of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, and took an active part in the choir and women's organizations of the church. Eight years ago she moved to Stirling R.R. 4 and became associated with Marsh Hill United Church, where she has acted as organist as well as being active in the various church organizations.

She leaves to mourn one sister, Mrs. Walter Lindenfield, Stirling R.R. 4.

Resting at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, from where the funeral will take place at 2 p.m. on Saturday to St. Paul's United Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

Stirling W. I. Monthly Meeting

"Citizenship" Was Theme of Programme — Mrs. S. McMurray Elected Director

Mrs. S. McMurray presided at the April Meeting of the Stirling Women's Institute meeting held in the Community Hall on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

The roll call, "Something nice about my neighbour" drew a good response. Mrs. E. Foster, Secretary, read the minutes of the March meeting. Correspondence was dealt with, which included a notification from Rathburn Bus Service re coming entertainments in Toronto; the sending of the Branch President to Guelph for a series of lectures; a doll and costume contest sponsored by the Women's Division at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto.

Mrs. H. Rodgers, Mrs. Geo. Saries and Mrs. Perry Bronson, expressed thanks for boxes of fruit received while ill.

Homemakers extension service leaflets were decided upon to the members' wishes. First choice, "Brighten Your Home with Color"; 2nd choice, "The Making of Slip Covers and Drapes." The supporting of the spoons for girl's club work was decided upon and the Homemaker's Garden Club will have Mrs. L. Rodgers and Mrs. Bronson as leaders and the club will be self supporting for expenses. The President and Treasurer were added to Mrs. S. Kirkey's committee re an educational tour of factories in Belleville at a future date.

Mrs. S. McMurray was elected for a two-year term as standing committee director for the District at the retirement of Mrs. P. Bronson, with the former's standing committee being Citizenship and Education.

It was decided to give a donation of \$5.00 to the Musical Festival for children's class at St. Paul's United Church in June.

Programme

Mrs. Foster opened the programme by giving the topic, "Citizenship." What does it mean to be a Canadian? Do we believe in the brotherhood of man? Do we show our abilities and talent as freely as we should? What is a good Canadian citizen?

We are proud to be called a Canadian for we enjoy freedom of speech and religion. Free of fear, free to marry to our choice and freedom of voting. The youth of today never had such a golden opportunity to become a good and solid citizen in the fair Dominion of ours. True, we are called on for numerous responsibilities, but being a Canadian we can do our work with ease, for every phase of education is at our hand. Our smallest child is in the making of a good citizen, school training, music training, Girl Guides or Boy Scouts, each and every one do their share through efficient leaders, to build a child's life into being a good citizen.

For adults, they must just be a good neighbour, or they cannot be a citizen that his community will be proud of.

Mrs. W. C. West gave a reading entitled, "Cut Down Trousers." Mrs. S. McMurray gave a funny joke and household hints. Mrs. Lily Spry gave a reading entitled, "Others." Mrs. H. Rodgers' reading was "Regret Nothing." You have the day in which to live, learn and love. It is the vision and purpose that becomes guides to happiness and better things. Mrs. L. Rodgers read a poem by Edgar Guest, "Two Sportsmen." Mrs. Geo. Saries gave household hints.

- COMING EVENTS -

GIRL GUIDE COOKIE DAY, SAT., May 8th. Please place your order with the canvasser when they call to insure your delivery on Cookie Day. 12-1

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Peter Reide Honoured On His 84th Anniversary

On Sunday afternoon, March 28th, the Minister, Mr. W. H. Farrow, and members of Eggleton Sunday School, Mrs. Harlow, Mrs. Bridges, Mrs. Fitchett and Miss Thelma Prest, visited at the home of Mr. Peter Reide and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reide and family to extend best wishes to Mr. Peter Reide, who was 84 years old on March 29th.

The Sunday School Class Superintendent, Mrs. W. Harlow, had prepared a short programme as follows:

singing of several favourite hymns, with Miss Joanne Reide, pianist. Mr. Farrow read a portion of Scripture and offered prayer. Mr. Bert Reide gave a vocal solo. Mr. Farrow gave a brief address and also contributed a solo.

Mrs. Fitchett was called on for a few remarks, after which Miss Thelma Prest, on behalf of the Sunday School, presented Mr. Reide with a box of fruit.

Mr. Reide expressed his thanks at this time. Mrs. Carl Bridges brought in a lighted birthday cake and all joined in singing "Happy Birthday to You."

Mrs. Bert Reide served dainty refreshments along with the birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reide and Lyle also visited Mr. Reide during the afternoon, and later in the day other relatives and friends called to extend best wishes.

Wellman's W.M.S.

Mrs. G. Watson was hostess to the Wellman's W.M.S. meeting on April 6th with a good attendance.

The meeting opened with the singing of Hymn 17. The Scripture Lesson, Matthew 28: 1-10 and 16-20, was read by Mrs. K. Tompkins. The President, Mrs. J. Carlisle, conducted the worship service and gave some Meditation Thoughts, followed by prayer and Hymn 86.

Five visitors from Mount Pleasant W.M.S. were welcomed to the meeting. Mrs. K. Weaver very capably gave a summary of the 4th and 5th chapters of the study book, "Where'er the Sun." Readings were given by Mrs. Clifford Clancy and Mrs. B. Morton. A solo was sung by Mrs. K. Tompkins with guitar accompaniment.

The President gave a report of the annual meeting of the Belleville Presbyterial of the W.M.S. held at Napanee. A vote of thanks was tendered the hostess and all who helped on the programme. The meeting closed with Hymn 365 and a delicious lunch was served.

The May meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. J. Dunham.

Rev. A. S. McConnell Named Dean

Rev. A. S. McConnell, rural dean of Hastings County and rector of St. George's Anglican Church, Trenton for the last eight years, has been named Canon of the Diocese by Rt. Rev. K. C. Evans, Bishop of Ontario. He will be formally inducted at a synod service in Kingston Cathedral in May.

Cheesemakers' Spring Conference

The Central Ontario Cheesemakers' Association held its annual spring conference in Belleville last week.

Cheese faults and manufacturing conditions tending to lower the grade of finished cheese were chief topics of discussion.

Openness in cheese, soft ends, cracked rinds and the price of 93 and 94 score cheese were other problems discussed.

Trenton Will Become Location of Boy Scout Meet

Trenton is soon to be the site of one of the largest Boy Scout gatherings ever held in the district. The West Area Conference is to meet in the Queen Elizabeth School, Trenton, on Saturday, April 24th. Approximately 400 Scout and Cub leaders, group committee men, members of local association executives and Scout Ladies' Auxiliaries are expected to gather in Trenton for the one-day conference.

Delegates will be present from an area extending from Port Hope to Kingston and from Prince Edward County to Peterborough and Campbellford. Meetings will be held from 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. and a banquet has been planned for 6.30 p.m.

Officials from both Ontario and Canadian headquarters will be present as speakers at the day sessions. A speaker whose name has not yet been announced will give an address on Scouting at the banquet. He will be an important official in Scouting.

Various phases of Scouting involving both leaders and the boys will be discussed during the day. The afternoon session will divide into four sections with a qualified headquarters' official leading discussions in each. The sections will be made up of Com-

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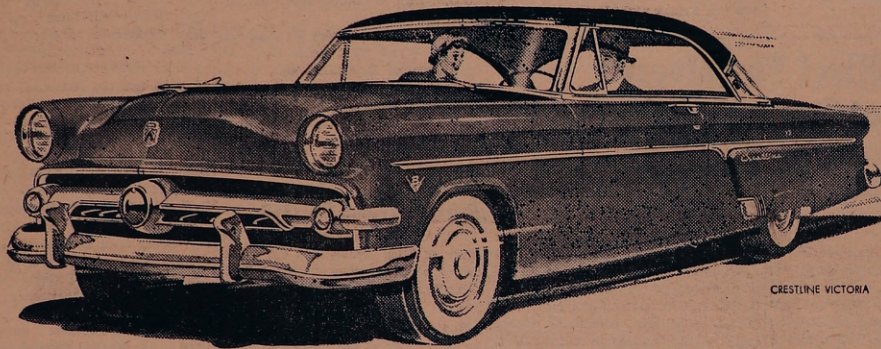
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St. Paul's—Carmel News Items

(By Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E.)

From the correspondence of Dorothy Dix the following is copied:

Dear Dorothy Dix: I paint, powder, smoke, get drunk, swear and tell questionable stories, yet I have had 2 proposals of marriage from eligible young men during the last month. Can you explain this? SADIE

Only on the ground that there is no accounting for tastes.

DOROTHY DIX**Who Brought You The Gospel?**

It was a Jew who brought the gospel to Rome; a Roman who took it to France; a Frenchman who took it to Scandinavia; a Scandinavian who took it to Scotland; a Scotsman who evangelized Ireland, and an Irishman who made the missionary conquest of Scotland. No matter where one's ancestors lived, they received the gospel at the hand of an alien race. And yet, there are some who say they do not believe in missions!

I have held many things in my hands, and have lost them all; but whatever I have placed in God's hands, that I still possess.

—Martin Luther

Christ Is Risen

Glad Easter Day Services will be held throughout Christendom next Sunday. Special services will be held in all churches in this area. Everyone plans to go to Church on Easter Day.

At Carmel "Church of the Prophets" the service will include the rite of Confirmation and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Confirmation Testaments will be given to each candidate.

At St. Paul's the service on Easter Morn will include the silver trumpet fanfare as heard in the "rose-bowl" sunrise services. The Ladies' Trio, Miss Marlene Carlisle, Miss Marlene Moorcroft and Mrs. Harry Brown will sing "Hear My Prayer." Mr. Wm. Aylsworth will sing "The Trumpet Shall Sound," from Handel's Messiah and Mrs. Walter Warren "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." Choral numbers (1) This Joyful Easter-Tide, Royal Choir; (2) "Hallelujah! Now Is Christ Risen," St. Paul's Choir; (3) "Antiphonal Easter Anthem," both Choirs.

Royal Choir Service

The annual Royal Choir Service for Easter Day will include solos, recitations, choruses and pantomime in which every member of the choir will participate. Those with special parts include Elaine Vandervoort, Judy Patterson, Sandra Wannamaker, Patricia Fraser, Jeanette Ayhart, Wendy Warren, Jean Ann Mayhew, Doreen Thrasher, Mary Ellen Warren and all Beginners, Dawn Hubel, Grace Heasman, Carolyn Belcour, Marilyn Rose, Tinka Visser, Margaret Brooks, Dorothy Johnson, Jean Davidson, Joan Fraser, Ralph Carlisle, Allyn Warren,

Wayne Wannamaker, Ross Carlisle, Fairlie Warren, Douglas Wilkins, Marilyn Anderson, Kenneth Post, Hazel Thrasher, Peter Kumie, Helen Hawkins, Thelma Stewart, Sandra West, David Bell and Pauline Stewart. Special organ accompaniment will be heard at both services.

Some Early Residents

Mr. Chas. H. Brooks, of Eldorado, has advised the following were the residents of the First Concession of Rawdon in the period 1875-1900:

Lot 17 and S½ of 16, Charles McKee, W. Warren; 19 S½, Chas. Bailey, Isaac Bailey; Lot 19 N.W.¼ Lester Johnson; Lot 20 east 70 acres, Mr. Pearson, S. Hubel, Frank Hubel; Lot 20 centre 65 acres, Mr. Preston, Hiram Cummings, S. Holden, Sr. and Jr.; Lot 20 west 65 acres, Allen White; Lot 21 S.E.¼ F. L. Edwards, Wm. Edwards; Lot 21 N.E.¼, Alex. Fox, Seene; Lot 21 N.W.¼, Jos. Green, Seene; Lot 21 S.W.¼, H. McKee, Seene; Lot 21 S.W. 15 acres, G. Lawrence, W. Wallace; Lot 22 N.E.¼ of E½, Philo White, Seene; Lot 22 W½ of E½, John Brooks, Elam Brooks; Lot 22 N.W.¼, S. Davis; Lot 23 S.E.¼, John Adams, George Carlisle, Albert Green; Lot 23 W½, Thos. Carlisle, Richard Carlisle, A. Thompson; Lot 24 part S.W.¼, George Benedict, David Benedict; Lot 24 N.W.¼, Melancton White, William Mills.

First Choir**At Carmel**

According to Mr. Brooks the first choir at Carmel was organized after the organ was purchased in 1894. Organist, Miss Annie Green; Choirleader and Tenor, G. I. Iveson; Sopranos, Misses Louise Weaver, Bertha Green, Maud Hagerman, Maud Holden, Lillie and Nellie Anderson and Ida Winters; Altos, Miss Fendelator and Armenta Richardson (now Mrs. Armstrong); Bass, Albert Weaver, Dougald MacMurchy and Chas. H. Brooks.

Looking Ahead**At Carmel**

It is now quite possible to organize a choir that can lead the singing at each service. A piano is used in the church at present which in time could be kept for two instrument services and a sweet reed organ secured for church services. There is a group of younger singers coming on who could provide additional choir material.

Racks for Communion cups should be secured; the eavetroughing renewed where necessary; outside brick-work tuck pointed; platform facade erected; stained glass windows installed and the church grounds gravelled and landscaped.

The congregation has already purchased several loads of gravel and the co-operation of Reeve Theodore Cooney and his Council give promise of making Carmel "Church of the Prophets" one of the finest centres of worship and attraction in the Township. Already visitors have come to Carmel for ideas on church renovation.

Sympathy

The sympathy of St. Paul's is ex-

tended to the loved ones of the late Wm. Maynes who entered his rest April 7th; to Mrs. H. C. Pitcher and her loved ones bereaved by the death of her father, W. H. Dafoe who fell asleep full of years on April 10th; and the next of kin of the late Miss Hannah M. Casey who was buried in Zion Hill Cemetery on April 7th.

Shadows In Springtime

Severe illness affecting Mrs. W. G. Hagerman, Mr. Sidney Mason and Mr. Wm. Carlisle are causes for anxiety. We rejoice that they are responding to wise prescription and kindly care. Moving in the eventide of life each of these and all our sick and aged wherever they may be are subjects of special prayer.

The Lenten and**Special Offerings**

Carmel with an objective of \$500 has received to date \$628.70. This includes special gifts for pews in the "Church of the Prophets" made by Messrs. Jos. Grills, Clayton Stapley, Arthur Pyear, Everett Grills, John Grills, Ernest Grills, Russell Pyear, Lorne Brooks, Squire Frank Bailey, Archie Bailey, Ed. Pyear and Mrs. Neal, R. A. Patterson, H. C. Bird, Rev. A. E. Baker. This list is still incomplete. A gracious "thank you" to all donors.

At St. Paul's a total of \$135.00 has been received toward its \$500 objective. Many at St. Paul's bring their Lenten offerings with their Easter Day Thankoffering on Easter Sunday. It is expected that great generosity and an every member response will be added highlight of Easterday in Centennial Year. Easter lilies, cut flowers and flowering plants for Easter Sunday should be sent to the church not later than 8 p.m. Saturday next.

Coroner At Brighton Dies

Dr. Franklin M. Dure, of Brighton, coroner for the united counties of Northumberland and Durham, died Thursday of last week. He was 72. Dr. Dure established a medical practice at Brighton in 1915. He had been a coroner for 37 years. He leaves his wife, a sister and a brother.

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St. Paul's W.A.

The April meeting of the St. Paul's W.A. was held in the Church Parlours on Tuesday afternoon, April 6th.

The President, Mrs. E. Warren, presided. The meeting opened with the theme song and prayer. The minutes were read and the financial report given. Mrs. H. Wells read the correspondence in the absence of the good-will secretary, Mrs. F. Jeffrey. The calling committee reported 23 calls for the month of March. Mrs. H. David gave her report on the Blue Cross.

Mrs. Warren thanked all those who helped to make the St. Patrick's Supper a success. She announced that the W.A. would be catering to the Belleville Presbytery for a noon meal on May 4th.

Mrs. E. Eggleton spoke briefly on "Relief For Korea." The packing of a bale was planned for the afternoon of April 22nd. All clothing (used or new) would be gratefully received by the ladies of the Association. All clothing should be dry cleaned or washed.

Mrs. R. Tucker was the programme convener for the afternoon. Mrs. A. E. Baker favoured the group with a piano solo entitled, "Spring Song."

The Scripture was given by Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Mrs. H. C. Martin and Mrs. H. Donnan. Through verse and song the Easter Story was revealed. Mrs. Thompson chose as her topic, "Looking Backwards;" Mrs. Martin, "Looking Forward," and Mrs. Donnan, "Present Challenge."

A short skit was presented entitled, "On Life's Highway," with the following taking part: Mrs. L. Wannamaker, Mrs. R. Tucker, Mrs. J. McCaughen, Mrs. A. McDonnell, Mrs. R. Rose, Mrs. P. Utman and Mrs. E. Munro. Particularly at this Easter time we are ever reminded in "Life's Highway" that Christ is ever present and a living inspiration to those who have faith and are willing to take up the Cross and follow him.

Mrs. A. Wells thanked Mrs. Tucker and her committee for the enjoyable and instructive afternoon's program. The meeting closed with the Misspah Benediction after which a dainty lunch was served.

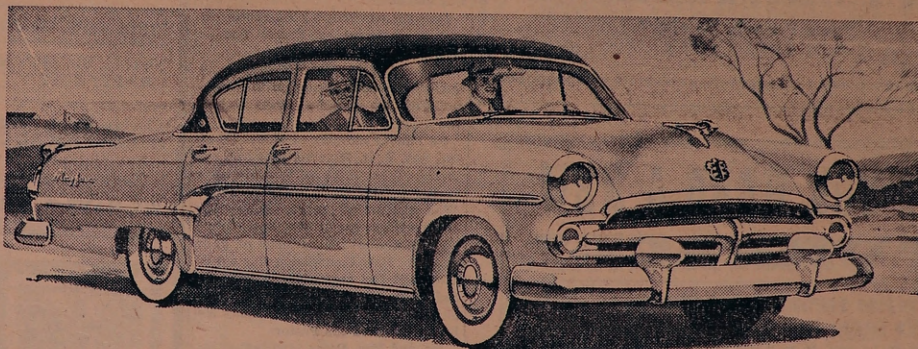
Jas. G. Lloyd

Father of Mrs. Geo. Wood, Dies

Suffering a heart attack while driving his car near his home Friday noon, James Garfield Lloyd, 42 Dunbar St., Belleville, died in Belleville General Hospital Friday evening. Mr. Lloyd was within a few doors of his own home, when he suffered the attack, his car colliding with a parked vehicle. He was in his 64th year.

Born at Plainfield, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John White Lloyd, he had lived in the Belleville district all his life. He was a hydro supervisor. He was a member of Holloway St. United Church and was a life member of Moira Lodge, No. 11, the Moira Chapter No. 7, and King Baldwin Preceptory, No. 6.

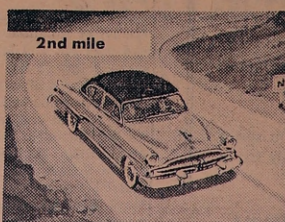
He is survived by his wife, the former Alice M. McCaig, one daughter, Mrs. George (Barbara) Wood, of Stirling; a sister, Mrs. (Rev.) D. A. MacInnes, of Ridgetown; and one brother, Dr. W. H. Lloyd, of Kingston.



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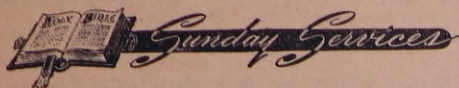
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Holy Eucharist

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Holy Eucharist

Good Friday — St. John's, 2.30 p.m.

Devotions

Wednesday, April 21st, Confirmation

Class 8.30 p.m.

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1.30 p.m.—Sunday School

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7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

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Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Higge, Tommy and Keith, Oshawa, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sine. Mrs. Thomas Andrews accompanied them home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Spencer and Ray attended the funeral of Mrs. Alfred Spencer. Havelock, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McMullen, Springbrook, spent Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen.

The annual W.M.S. Thankoffering will be gathered on Easter Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Aitchinson and family, of Woodstock, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hubble and other relatives.

On Sunday morning at Mount Pleasant, Rev. R. R. Bonsteel spoke on the theme, "What think ye Will He come to the feast?" The choir rendered, "The Shadow of the Cross" and the congregation sang, "Ye Fair Green Hills of Galilee" in memory of Palm Sunday. Holy Communion was solemnized and two new silver plates were dedicated. Messrs. Allen Reid, Orno Sharp, Ernest White and Lindsay McKeown assisted the Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. R. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. L. McKeown, Mrs. K. Weaver and Mrs. Don Campbell, attended the Play and Pie Social at Carmel Jubilee Hall Friday evening. The play was a hilarious comedy staged by a Peterborough group.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stapley and family, of Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hagerman and Harold and other relatives.

The Public Speaking Elimination Competition was held Monday evening April 12th at Stirling Public School for the pupils of Rawdon Township and Stirling. Raye David of Williams Public School and a pupil of Mrs. Russell Pyear, spoke on "Conservation" and was one of two pupils chosen to enter the Centre Hastings Inspectorate Competition at Tweed.

Mrs. Russell Pyear and a group of pupils from the Williams School and Miss Audrey Newell and pupils of the Allan School attended the Centre Hastings Inspectorate Music Festival at Tweed on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Couch and several of their neighbours attended the funeral of Mr. Henry Leonard at St. John's Church of England, Stirling, on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Hagerman is ill at her home.

Mrs. Wm. McKenzie, Burnbrae, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. G. F. Spencer, who is confined to her room.

On Thursday evening Rev. R. R. Bonsteel presided over a meeting of the Elders at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes. Mr. Ross Hoard was appointed Clerk of Session for Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoard, Mrs. E. Moody and Mr. Don Bell were guests Wednesday evening at the Williams School. It was the writer's first visit in twenty-five years. She received her Public School education here and it was a drab dreary spot. Today there are pictures on the walls, drapes at the



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Minto

St. Thomas W.A. held a quilting at the home of Mrs. Ed. Colden on Tuesday afternoon when the bale quilt was completed.

We extend a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. George McMaster, who moved to our community last week.

Miss Joy Colden spent the weekend with Miss Donelda Heath.

Mrs. Annie Seales, of Oak Lake, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Mr. Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Stirling, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Glover were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jackson on Sunday.

Wellman's

Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack were supper guests on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Graham and Harold, were tea guests on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chumbley and family entertained relatives from Belleville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlisle and Bob, of Frankford, visited Saturday

evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle and Mrs. Chas. Dunham attended the play at Carmel Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, Mount Pleasant; Mr. George Thrasher, B.C., and Miss Noreen Keating, of Belleville, were tea guests on Sunday with Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack.

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Crow Bay Cheese Company is remodelling the front of their factory and the weigh stand, preparing for the coming cheese season.

A reception service and Communion was held in St. John Church on Sunday evening. Twelve new members were received into the church. Special Easter service will be held next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnum were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnum, of town, on Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Irvin attended a Women's Institute Provincial Board meeting in Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Watson Murray were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petherick on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Petherick, Mr. Aylmer Petherick and Mrs. Douglas Barnum motored with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Petherick to Thistleton, to visit Miss Enid Petherick who is a patient in the hospital.

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Births

McGEE — At Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, April 11th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McGee, of Belleville, a son, Brian Edward.

RICHARDSON — At the Sine Maternity Home, Harold Ontario, on Saturday, April 10th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Otis (Red) Richardson, of Frankford. R.R. 3, a daughter, a sister for Wayne, Sheila and Violet.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Jesse Barlow wish to extend to their relatives, friends and neighbours, their sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown them in their recent bereavement; also for the many floral tributes.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to Dr. Cornett, nurses at the Belleville General Hospital, and the kind friends and neighbours who remembered us with gifts, cards, calls, fruit and flowers, while in the hospital and since our return home.

19-1p Phyllis and Donnie Campbell

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late William Maynes wishes to thank their friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who remembered me with cards, treats and personal calls during my stay in Belleville Hospital, I wish to say a sincere "thank you."

19-1p Fred McCutcheon

CARD OF THANKS

To all the relatives, neighbours and friends who remembered me in any way during my illness, I wish to say a sincere "thank you."

19-1p Mae Rodgers

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Wm. H. Dafoe wish to thank all their friends, neighbours and relatives for their many acts of kindness during his illness and at the time of his death; for beautiful floral tributes, cards and letters. A special "thank you" to Dr. Carleton, the Green Rest Home, Rev. Walker, Mrs. Roy Eggleton and Mrs. Williams.

19-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Arthur Gordanier wishes to express her thanks and appreciation to her friends and neighbours for their many cards and acts of kindness during his illness; also for the lovely cut flowers sent by Mrs. Vance and Mrs. Wright, and the lovely plants sent by the Energetic Bowling Club and Laurel Lodge.

19-1

Rylstone

Mrs. Stella Gibson returned home on Friday after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Elliott, at West Huntingdon. Mrs. Elliott returned with her and called on their brother, Richie Meiklejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Donaldson and Susan, of Peterborough, and Mrs. Albert Holland and Stewart, of Havelock, spent Saturday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, being the occasion of Mrs. Stewart's birthday. Congratulations Mrs. Stewart.

Miss Josie McKenzie in company with Miss Maureen Ayrhart, of Seymour West, spent the week-end in Montreal, guests of Maureen's uncle.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Will Rutherford in the death of her father, Mr. Charles Lawrence, of Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bailey, Paul and Susan, of Harold, were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Laurence Meiklejohn fell on Tuesday while trying to close the barn doors, jamming his wrist between the doors and injuring the nerve in his wrist. It was thought at first to be broken, but on examination by the doctor, it was found that no bones were broken.

The ladies of Rylstone United Church catered to the Community Sale on Monday.

Miss Anne Reid was an overnight guest of Donna and Dorothy Morton on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meiklejohn and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Linn, spent Thursday at Watertown, N.Y.

West Huntingdon

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sables attended the Elliott — Purdy wedding on Saturday at Calvary Temple, Belleville. Mrs. Howard Cooke and Mrs. Dan Cooke also attended.

Margaret Ann Sills has been spending a few days with her cousin, Ann Ashley. We are pleased to welcome Miss Sills to this community and hope she will make West Huntingdon her permanent home.

The Cottage Prayer meetings are being well attended. Those who opened their homes recently for the meet-

ings were Mr. and Mrs. Melville Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott, Foxboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sables. Mr. John Lainsan arranged and conducted the meetings and those who have given the special addresses are Mrs. Frank Hammond, Mr. Ernest Tummon and Mr. Mac Sables.

The Endeavour's Sunday School Class members have been enjoying some lovely visits to other organizations recently. On April 2nd they were guests of St. Andrew's at their Church; April 9th they presented the entire programme at Marsh Hill for the Harmony Club, and on Tuesday evening of this week they had charge of the worship service for the joint meeting of the Two-by-Two Club at Mount Pleasant.

Guests at the Elliott — Purdy wedding which took place on Saturday at Calvary Temple, Belleville were Miss Lois Cooke, Miss Eleanor Wright, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooke Sr., and Mr. Gerald Cooke, who was an usher.

Mrs. M. Wickie has returned to her home, Buffalo, after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. John Lainsan and Mr. and Mrs. William Grant. Mrs. J. Lainsan accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vandenberg and family have taken up residence in Mr. Goldie McInroy's vacant house.

Mrs. Thomas Gray and twins, Diana and David, of Springbrook, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, North Front Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hall and Larry, Frankford, spent a recent Sunday with Sarah and Arthur Wilson.

Callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Jeffrey and Mr. Clarence Jeffrey included Mr. and Mrs. B. Jordan, of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. William Harry, of Trenton; Mrs. Henry Jeffrey, of Sidney, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, of Holloway.

Mrs. Foster Wilson and Mrs. Melville Donnan attended a Missionary Rally at Kingston on Saturday.

News Omitted

Owing to a last minute rush of advertising Salem W.A., Williams School Home and School Meeting and the Rylstone Women's Institute Annual Meeting reports have been omitted, and will appear in next week's issue.

BACK TO THE FARM

We do notice a definite trend back to the farm by many farmers' sons and others who have tried working for a period in industry. Jobs in various types of industry are no longer plentiful and many are returning to the farm. It is hoped that cheese milk prices will hold to form a basis for a satisfactory farm income.

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WHAT OTHERS SAY!

TAXPAYERS FIRST

Taxpayers should get the first break in any cut in defence costs, declares The Financial Post. Non-defence spending is going up. The increase may be justifiable, but if we are approaching, as we certainly hope, a day when the defence establishment may be smaller, aren't we facing the prospect in an odd way and starting off on the wrong foot? Increasing our ordinary spending to more than take up any reduction in defence gets us now where in economy of government.

It's exactly like the housewife who, having saved seven dollars on the family's groceries, turns around and spends nine dollars on a hat she does not need or cannot afford.

COUNCIL NOT RESPONSIBLE

(Ridgetown Dominion)

Municipal Councils get a great deal of blame because of boosted tax rates for which they are really not responsible at all. Only one who sits in at Council meetings regularly can appreciate how carefully every controllable expenditure is scrutinized by the members of the Council with a view to keeping the tax rate down. If it is proved that one department must have an increase in its expenditures, the first move of the Council is invariably to find out if the required amount can be pared from the estimates of one or more other total.

The result, of course, is that the council comes in for more criticism

because some things are not done which citizens think should be done — roads, sidewalks, drains — all that sort of thing. These things have been put off because to do them would further increase the taxes. So councillors are damned if they do and damned if they don't.

This year councillors had their minds set on a 47 mill rate, based on the belief that total expenditures this year would not be more than in 1953. However, the demands of the High School Board, the Public School Board, and the Kent County estimate for 1954 are such that another three mills are unavoidable.

In their turn it is only fair to consider that these other bodies are no doubt driven by conditions which they cannot control. The school boards have really very little jurisdiction over the expenditures, and the county council is in very much the same position as other councils. The local council, however, is the one that gets all the kicks, because it has to do all the tax collecting.

One is reminded of the old jingle: "Bigger fleas have little fleas Upon their backs to bite 'em; While little fleas have smaller fleas— And so ad infinitum!"

YOU CAN'T WIN

(Kingston Wig-Standard)

The taxpayer can't win. A man out west who listed as his income tax report five wives as dependents is now on trial for bigamy.

TAX DODGING

(Saturday Night)

There is one man who is testing the triumph of beating the Income Tax Department at its own game.

A friend of ours went into business for himself a couple of years ago and, to get himself properly started, he accepted all the jobs he could get without worrying too much whether the fees he got were comfortably higher than the expenses involved. At the end of the first year, he dutifully filled out the income tax forms, conscientiously listing every item of revenue and cost. When the people at the tax office went over his return, they accepted his statement of income, disallowed more than half his expenses and sent him a bill for \$238 in unpaid taxes.

Our friend took his rebuff calmly; a wise man, he kept his counsel and refrained from wasting time in futile argument. But any day now the Department of Internal Revenue is going to get a letter that goes like this:

"You may recall that I was assessed \$230 in income taxes which I did not owe but which I paid anyway, because anyone with even half a head knows that there is no point in fight-

ing the tax collectors. However, since paying you the \$230, exactly 500 days ago, I have faithfully abstained from buying the two packages of cigarettes that I used to smoke each day. At 23 cents (Government tax) this comes to exactly \$230, which I have banked in the form of 46 cents each day."

EMPTY SEATS AT \$10,000 EACH

(Editorial in Cobourg Sentinel Star)

This for \$10,000 a year and more. A release to the Cobourg Sentinel-Star comments: "EMPTY SEATS in the House of Commons at Ottawa suggest Canadian MPs are not making much effort to earn the \$10,000 salary they recently voted themselves."

The Winnipeg Tribune notes editorially that when the unemployment debate started up again on Monday, March 1st, only 50 MPs out of the 262-member House were on hand at one point. At 3.30 in the afternoon, a count showed 17 Liberals present out of 165, and 18 Conservatives out of 49.

Patrick Nicholson, Ottawa correspondent for a newspaper chain, reports that at an earlier point in unemployment debate only 37 MPs were in their seats. Of these 37, four were writing letters, eleven were reading newspapers or magazines, ten were chatting together in groups of two or three, one was yawning, two appeared to be sleeping, one was making a speech, one was sitting as Speaker, and the remaining seven were listening.

The basis of absenteeism runs from 18 to 50 percent.

This is a terrible condition concerning citizens of our country who are voted as elected representatives of each Canadian riding.

Let us face the facts.

The government of our country is run as a business, or supposed to be run as a business.

Let us suppose the Canadian General Electric plant in Cobourg has 1000 employees. Let us suppose then that for one week, or more, only 500 (fifty percent) turn up for work. We will suppose that the plant is loaded to capacity with demand orders, orders which have to be delivered on time. What happens? The factory loses orders, goes bankrupt. All citizens of the community suffer.

Every Canadian citizen suffers because riding representatives do not spend full time at parliament.

If government members are not interested in growing unemployment, what chance then has the poor man who is out of work in a Canadian community.

If the government members are not interested in attending parliamentary sessions to at least try to reduce the growing debt, what chance has the poor home owner in a Canadian town, saddled with taxes and increasing prices?

Canadian business expects increased effort from an employee for increased pay. Why? — to keep prices and taxes down.

We demand from our members at parliament the same: "Increased effort for increased pay!"

Every Canadian taxpayer, every Canadian voter should request that each member of parliament give an accounting of time spent in parliament each year he or she serves as a representative.

The member is paid to spend time, not waste it. If he does the latter see that he never represents your riding again. In other words, when the next election comes around, fire him.

Lead Pencils Still In Great Demand

(By Harry M. Moore)

With so many attractive pens on display in the stores and in use in the home now, one might wonder what will be the ultimate fate of the common lead pencil. But have no fear on that score.

A New York pencil maker reports that last year his company produced over a trillion wooden pencils in three hundred and fifty types and styles.

"We have pencils that will write on white hot steel," said this manufacturer. "Paint water colour pictures, outline the operation on the skin of a hospital patient, mark stockyard beef, erase rust and touch up the paint on the paint on your auto, cut into stone, play a phonograph record, write on glass, plastics, film and chinaware, retouch furniture, or stained wallpaper."

"One pencil is so slender it is sold as a book-mark. There is even a 'kosh' pencil, guaranteed free of pork-derived products, developed for kosher butchers. Pencils used to tighten tourniquets have proved life-savers to accident victims."

"And the wooden pencil is still the only writing instrument that enables the nickel to keep its feeling of self-respect."

Of course, you knew all the time there isn't any lead in a lead pencil, and never has been.

Wild Life Appears On New Stamps

To commemorate and help create public interest in National Wild Life Week, the Post Office Department of the Canadian Government has printed and are releasing three new Postage Stamps, one bearing a drawing of a Beaver, one of a Walrus and the other a bird of the Tern family.

National Wild Life Week was created by an Act of Parliament by the Canadian Government in 1947 as a living memorial to the late Jack Miner, Canadian Naturalist, who did so much to awaken public interest in Conservation of Natural Resources. In 1906, The Minneapolis Journal referred to him editorially "as the father of the Conservation Movement on the Continent."

Each year, National Wild Life Week is observed as strictly an educational week when small school children draw pictures of birds and animals with crayons, while the older scholars write essays on the value of our Wild Life and other Natural Resources.

St. Mark's W.A. Bonarlaw

The April meeting of St. Mark's W.A. Bonarlaw, was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Everett Heath in the form of a quilting and pot luck dinner. There were twelve present.

Mrs. Wellman presided and Canon J. M. Brownlie opened the meeting with prayer.

The roll call was well responded too and the treasurer gave her report. An invitation from St. John's W.A., Stirling, to attend their meeting on April 27th was read by Mrs. Heath. Mrs. Wellman thanked the W.A. for the plant and cards received when ill.

A pot luck dinner was served by the hostess and a quilt quilted for the bale. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Wellman.

Give Handicapped Children A Chance -- Buy Easter Seals

Then count the youngster lucky...

lucky he lives in our time. For it's only a few decades ago we used to have "closet children" or boys and girls who, because of some defect in figure or speech, were hidden away from sight when visitors came.

Today we have no known instances of this practice in Ontario and this is due largely to the influence and 32

years of hard work done by the Ontario Society for Crippled Children — an organization backed by 195 Canadian service clubs and financed by the annual sale of Easter Seals.

Cerebral Palsy is a condition in which control over muscles is impaired or lost due to brain lesions. These, doctors say, can occur during pregnancy, at birth, or afterwards from a variety of causes. The incidence of cerebral palsy is estimated to be about one in 568 live births.

Consider, then, the problem confronting the parents of a spastic child. In the typical child there is drooling, poor speech (if any) and movements of the hands are slow and awkward. When supported in a standing position, their legs are held in a scissors-like way. If they walk, their gait is stiff, clumsy and up on the toes.

But they can be trained. And at "Woodedden" the O.S.C.C.'s Cerebral Palsy centre near London, Ont., the response has almost been miraculous to their highly specialized treatment.

This school, which also serves as a camp in the summer months, provides services such as residential treatment for children who require intensive therapy; out-patient treatment for those within the locality and a parent education programme conducted by a mobile unit in hard-to-get areas where treatment facilities do not exist.

Its teams of physiotherapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists nurses and doctors have often "dragged" the very first word out of lips that never spoke before. They've taken the helpless and formerly though hopeless cerebral palsied child and taught him to ride a tricycle, feed and dress himself or even walk. It takes endless patience on behalf of the trained specialist and unlimited courage for the child to train years so he might eat a bowl of porridge by himself in 35 or 40 minutes... without spilling it.

From this brief glance at cerebral palsy it is apparent the mothers and fathers of CP children require professional guidance in accepting the role they must play in the life of their child.

This was the very first fact which led the O.S.C.C. in its initial care of CP youngsters... the bringing together of parents in the various communities. The realization of the benefit that can be derived from such meetings has resulted in the formation of the Ontario Federation for the Cerebral Palsied.

All the work of the Ontario Society for Crippled Children — whether it be cerebral palsy, camping, nursing, etc., is financed by the annual sale of Easter Seals. Please buy yours between now and April 18th and help raise this year's minimum amount to carry on — \$500,000.



Lynda shows typical little-girl interest in her mother's telephone call; that's 18-month-old Denna, perched in her high chair.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

VALUABLE SHIPMENT OF HOLSTEINS TO ARGENTINA

Leaving Montreal for Buenos Aires on April 7th are eight head of very valuable Holsteins. They are being shipped on the S.S. Mormacstar.

Headlining the shipment was Rockwood Rag Apple Revelation, who at \$9,000.00 topped the sale of the herd of S. B. Roman, at King, Ontario, to become the highest priced Holstein bull of 1953. Also from the Roman-dale dispersal was Rocket Supreme Chatter, the first prize bull calf at the 1952 Peterborough Championship Show. He is a son of the five times All-Canadian Rockwood Rocket Tone out of an Excellent dam.

Another headliner was Rosale Pupifer, the top of the Rosale Sale of last Fall at \$4,000.

Still another headliner was Princess May Sky Rocket, the top mature cow at the Sale of Stars at the time of the Royal last year, sold by Rockwood Holstein, St. Norbert, Manitoba, at \$4,000. She was a third prize winner at the Royal Winter Fair last Fall, and nominated for All-Canadian. Accompanying her was her daughter born since the Sale of Stars.

Three other high class bulls including Glencliskey Pabst Prince, from H. C. McCloskey, Queensville, Ontario. This bull is by the noted Rembo Texal Sovereign, and is out of an Excellent dam, whose dam in turn is classified as Very Good, and is out of still another Excellent cow. From Raymond-dale Farm, Vaudreuil, Quebec, comes Raymondale Mack Ovation, a son of Pond Gate Rega Ovation, out of a granddaughter of Johanna Rag Apple Pabst. This bull is a brother of Raymondale R. A. Finest, one of the bulls successfully used in the artificial breeding unit of the Oxford Cattle Breeding Association, Woodstock, Ont.

Accompanying the Canadian bulls was Pabst Ajax, a bull from Pabst Farms, Oconomowoc, Wis., who has several crosses to the famous Wisconsin Admiral Burke Fobes.

APRIL 18th THE DEADLINE FOR WARBLE FLY CONTROL

Live Stock Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture has issued a warning to all cattle owners in Townships where bylaws have been passed under the provisions of the Warble Fly Control Act that they must have their cattle treated between April 1 and 18 and again 30 days later. Penalties are provided under the Act in the case of persons who fail to treat their cattle in the manner and at the times prescribed.

To date some 210 Township Councils have passed bylaws under the Warble Fly Control Act since 1943. Of this number thirty-three Township Councils enacted the necessary bylaws this year.

Under the terms of the original bylaws, owners were required to treat all cattle for Warble grubs. After the control program had been in operation for two years the council had the authority to pass a second bylaw exempting cattle over three years of age which are free from warbles, and calves born after September 1st of the preceding year. To date approximately 26 Townships have taken advantage of this provision of the Act.

Ontario Live Stock Commissioner, W. P. Watson points out that in order to obtain a high measure of control, two treatments are required. The first treatment must be applied between April 1st and 18th; the second treatment during the month of May.

In view of the fact that approximately one month elapses between the time the Warble grub pierces the hide

and eventually emerges, an interval of one month should elapse between treatments.

Two methods of treatment are recognized in the Act — namely the Brush and the Spray method. Under the Brush method the mixture is applied with a scrub brush, while the mixture is applied by a pressure sprayer under the other method. Regardless of the method used, care must be exercised to insure that the backs of the animals are thoroughly wetted. The mixture must penetrate through the openings in the hide and come in contact with the grub, otherwise it will not be killed.

Rotene has proven very effective in destroying this pest. It is sold commercially in the form of derris powder. This powder when mixed with water is used in the treatment.

ARE YOU GOING TO LIME YOUR SOIL THIS SPRING?

Some crops often fail to grow well because the nutrient elements they require from the soil for their existence are "fixed;" that is, they are in a form which the plants find hard to absorb, explains Prof. T. J. Heeg, Soil Department, O.A.C. This condition can be caused by acid soils, and one way to overcome the condition is to neutralize the acidity by adding lime.

Liming a soil increases the fertilizer efficiency, but certain precautions must be taken to make sure that the lime will do its job. Lime is usually applied in the form of limestone, and the limestone must be finely ground. Large-size particles will not readily dissolve, even though the chemical purity of the limestone may be high.

The only satisfactory method for establishing the need of a soil for lime is the soil test. Growers are advised to send samples, properly taken to the Soil Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Advice will be given on the need for lime and the quantity and type to use, plus a fertilizer recommendation if required.

TOP DRESSING FALL WHEAT IN THE SPRING

Fall wheat is grown on most general or mixed farms in Ontario as a cash crop or for feeding purposes. As a rule most farmers give the area to be sown in fall wheat a little extra care as far as soil preparation and fertilization are concerned. Very often fall wheat is sown on a field that has been plowed out of sod; if it is inclined to be weedy it is manured and summer fallowed.

Many farmers who may not fertilize for oats, barley, or mixed grain, make a practice of giving the wheat field an adequate supply of properly balanced fertilizer to insure a good stand. Soils that are in good physical condition and at a good level in general fertility do not require extra nitrogen, advises Prof. R. J. Brydon, Soils Department, O.A.C. but nitrogen may be advisable if winter injury has been severe. Too much nitrogen, on the other hand, will encourage too heavy a top growth, which tends to delay maturity and also cause the grain to lodge.

From 75 to 150 lbs. of fertilizer per acre are usually applied as top dressing, the amount depending on the fertilizer used and the needs of the crop. The best time to apply it is just when growth is starting, and, if possible, when the foliage is dry.

It is suggested that farmers first have the soil tested on which the wheat is to be grown. A soil testing service is provided by the Soils De-

partment, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Full details are obtainable from your agricultural representative.

CONSERVATION NEWS!

Nature Protects Young Fawns

April is the month that young fawns first make their appearance and kind-hearted people will again be tempted to "rescue" the tiny animals when thought to be abandoned.

Conservation Officers are passing along the timely request that well wishers refrain from such mistaken acts of mercy. Though new born deer seem delicate and present a forlorn appearance if found alone in the woods, nature has provided her own safeguards. During the approximate four week period fawns are too small to follow their mothers, the young deer are without scent. Even a wolf would be unaware of their presence unless accidentally coming near one by chance. Seldom will you see the mother deer, say Conservation Officers, but almost invariably she will be hidden close by, observing every move you make.

In the past, people who have found a fawn and taken it home, frequently realize their mistake and want to return it. When this happens it is extremely important that the animal be liberated in the same location, and without delay. After 24 hours the grieving mother may have left the locality.

Fish and Wildlife Notes

Lake Trout anglers have been able to carry on winter fishing activities much later than usual. Until a few days ago at least, ice was still strong enough to support cars on many lakes north of No. 7 Highway, and fishermen have been out in large numbers.

Muskrat trapping has not been very satisfactory to date, because of unreasonable weather, thought a good catch is possible if conditions improve during the next two weeks. In any case "the run" will be short and trappers will have to be on their toes to secure the harvest.

Small coveys of Hungarian Partridge have been observed by Conservation Officer Sam Shields in Horton Township near Renfrew, and several points to the north and west. "Huns" were liberated originally in more southerly parts of the Province and migration northwards was not entirely anticipated. Milder winters during the past few years may have contributed to the northerly movement.

Fire Prevention

Efforts Increased

With the fire danger period again close at hand, emphasis is being placed on intensified fire prevention efforts during lecture tours carried on by Department of Lands and Forests Staff. During the past three months, members of the staff have given talks to approximately 4,500 people in the Tweed District, many of them school children. Films and photograph panels have been particularly effective in bringing the conservation message to various groups.

Slow Break-up Retards Muskrat Trapping

Last year, 1953, the season for trapping muskrat opened March 20th and proved very unsatisfactory in southern parts of the Tweed District. Due to unexpectedly warm weather early in March, operations could have been carried out profitably before the season opening, and to avoid any repetition this year, the date was advanced to March 1st, 1954.

Once again, however, the weather has been playing pranks and continued low temperatures with ice forming at nights, has kept the catch quite small to date. Market prices according to reports are down about 50 cents a pelt compared to last spring. Fortunately there is still plenty of time during the balance of the season and trappers should have some good nights after the ice finally disappears. Usually "the run" occurs during a ten day period.

Trappers from ten marshes in Prince Edward County are saving carcasses and skulls after rats are skinned and turning them over to the Department's Fish and Wildlife Staff for examination. In this way ages can be determined and some idea obtained of the extent of trapping pressure on muskrat populations.

Heavy trapping is indicated by the presence of very few old rats in the catch and conversely, many old animals and few young, indicate light trapping. So far this Spring approximately 1,700 carcasses have been examined and ages determined. Farmer Trappers

Many farmers taking fur on their own property are still not in possession of a trap number, and should secure one from the local Conservation Officer at once. Fur dealers are unable to purchase any fur not covered in this way by a trap number.

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Dividends of \$9,434,013 received from the overseas subsidiary companies and included in net profit were the highest on record.

Average employment in 1953 was 14,490, as compared with 13,835 in the previous year.

Wages and salaries amounted to \$58,924,538, which was \$6,548,471 higher than in 1952.

The new Assembly Plant at Oakville commenced operations in May and the new engine plant at Windsor was in partial operation at the year end.

SPRING

The following poems on "Spring" have been composed by pupils of Snarr School, S.S. No. 17, Rawdon, Mr. Gerald Edwards is the teacher.

Spring comes but once a year,
We hear the robins sing good cheer.
I like to sit out in the sun
And play with the birds and have such fun.

I like to see the leaves burst out,
And watch the salmon and speckled trout;
I like the mornings in the spring,
Oh how I love to hear birds sing!

I wish Spring would always stay here
Because it's my favourite time of the year.
Bobby James Clapp,
Grade 6

Once again the streams will flow
And we will have the lawn to mow.
The grass on the lawn even now is green

But scarce a day ago was seen.
Once again a bird will trill
For those very weak and ill.

Now the little streams will run
And our work has just begun.
Now the earth is a beautiful scene,
And the leaves on the trees are very green.

The bells in Spring will chime,
Oh, Spring is a wonderful time!
Janet Tompkins
Grade 7

Spring has come again
When it begins to rain;
The trees begin to bud,
The ground is all wet mud.

The birds begin to sing,
Isn't it a wonderful thing?
The grass now grows green,
But a while ago it wasn't seen.

The flowers smell very sweet,
The flowers are all in bloom,
The grass is turning to its wonderful green

Which surely is a pleasure to be seen,
Frances Clapp,
Grade 8

Once again Spring has come,
And all the bees begin to hum.
The birds are coming back for Spring,
I surely like to hear them sing.

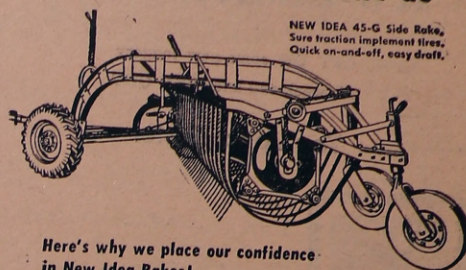
The beautiful flowers have a nice smell
The wonderful odour makes me feel well.
The grass is turned back to its wonderful green,
Which is surely a pleasure to be seen.

The river is roaring in its pride
And off to the country people go for a ride.
Marina Dewey,
Grade VIII

Spring again, Spring again,
We hear the birds refrain,
The little blades of green grass sprout
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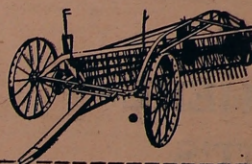
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Shirley Cotten,
Grade 7

Once again the trees all bud,
And again the road is mud;
The people step out in their spring hat,

And all the animals begin to chat.
All the rivers are flooded wide
Too cold to swim so we walk beside.
Even the smelts will swim with glee
Into a net to fry for me.

Once again the spring is here
You know it comes but once a year.
Murray King,
Grade 8

The air in Spring has a fragrant smell
The flowers are blooming around the wall.
The water is coloured a pale, pale blue
The sun is laughing and we are too.

The frogs are hopping round about;
And through the streams glide the graceful trout.
The nights are shorter, the days are longer,
And I myself, I'm feeling stronger.

The birds and I, we both love Spring,
God, flowers and everything.
Arnott Matthews,
Grade 8

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ANDERSON — LANCASTER

Against a setting of spring flowers, St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, April 3rd, when Evelyn Mae Lancaster, daughter of Mrs. Lancaster and the late Roy Albert Lancaster, was united in marriage to Mr. Glen Allan Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson, Stirling.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Baker and the wedding music was played by Mrs. A. E. Baker, A.R.C.T. The soloist, Mrs. Walter Warren, sang, "O Perfect Love" and "O Joy Be Thine."

Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Frank Fluke, the bride wore a gown of white chantilly lace and net over satin accented by a matching jacket with pearl encrusted collar. The long sleeves were tightly fitted and finished with lily points. Her full-length veil of tulle illusion was caught to a matching coronet and she carried a white Bible with orchids and white hyacinth bloom.

Mrs. D. Rikley, of Belleville, was matron of honour and wore a ballerina length dress of pink net with matching headdress and gloves. She carried a nosegay of mauve 'mums with yellow rose centre.

Miss Muriel Devolin was bridesmaid in a ballerina length gown of green net with matching headdress and gloves. Her nosegay was yellow 'mums with rose centre. Marilyn Anderson was junior bridesmaid in a yellow gown and she carried a nosegay of pink carnations with yellow rose centre.

Mr. Robert Anderson, of Foxboro, was best man for his brother and the ushers were Ross Anderson, Stirling, and Mr. Claude Dafeo, Belleville.

The reception was held in the Church Parlours where Mrs. Lancaster received her guests in a gown of navy blue crepe with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations. She was assisted by the groom's mother who also chose a gown of royal blue crepe with black accessories and corsage of pink carnations.

Following a trip to Syracuse, Niagara and Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will reside in Stirling.

Guests were present from Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Belleville, Oshawa and Foxboro.

Wm. Herbert Dafeo Died Saturday

The sympathy of the community goes to Mrs. Harvey Pitcher and Lloyd Dafeo, of this village, in the loss of their father, William Herbert Dafeo, whose death occurred at the Green Rest Home on Saturday, following an illness of two months' duration.

Born in Sidney Township, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dafeo, he had lived in the Frankford and Trenton district and was in his 89th year. He was a retired farmer, and was a member of the United Church. His wife, the former Ida Cheeseboro, predeceased him in 1918.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Harvey (Mary) Pitcher, of Stirling; Mrs. Ray (Alice) Ross, of Wooler; Mrs. Thomas (Mabel) Webb, of Trenton, and Mrs. Herman (Vera) Ross, of Wooler, and three sons, Lloyd Dafeo, of Stirling; Claude Dafeo and Earl Dafeo, both of Windsor. One brother, Howard Dafeo, of Frankford, 13 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, on Monday afternoon, April 12th, and was largely attended.

Rev. W. H. V. Walker officiated and Mrs. Roy Eggleton rendered a solo with Mrs. R. Williams accompanist.

The bearers were grandchildren Messrs. Will Pitcher, Gerald Ross, Kenneth Gunter, Roy Holland, Bob Cooke and Earl Dafeo.

Interment in Frankford Cemetery.

Marsh Hill Harmony Club

The members of Marsh Hill Harmony Club met for their April meeting in the Marsh Hill School Friday night, April 9th, when they were hosts to the members of the Endeavour's Class, West Huntingdon.

Mr. David Hollinger, President, welcomed the guests and opened the meeting with a hymn, followed by prayer by Mr. Farrow.

After the business, Mrs. George Ashley presided with Mr. George Ashley reading the Scripture, followed by prayer by Mr. Arthur Wilson; quartette, Mrs. William Fitchett, Miss Marilyn Fitchett, Mr. Farrow and Mr. Delbert McCurdy; reading, "Hunting the Mouse," by Mr. Mac Saries; solo, "Keep the Union of the Cross Before You," by Mrs. Grant; reading, "The Old Man Goes To Town," by Mr. Philip Carr; violin solo, "Danny Boy," by Mr. Grant, accompanied by Mrs. Grant.

Arthur Wilson introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Herb Burke, of Fuller, who chose as his subject, "The Wonderful Power of Salvation." He spoke of man's power, and used as an example the hydrogen bomb; but Jesus is a power that can destroy or save the world. Herod set himself to destroy Jesus. No one can destroy unless God gives him the power. The most wonderful power the world ever knew was when Jesus died on the cross to preserve our lives. Jesus had the power to give up His life and power to take it up again.

Mr. Philip Carr conducted two contests. Rev. Giffin spoke briefly. Refreshments were served by the Marsh Hill group.

Marmora Hotel Changes Ownership

On April 1st, Mr. Lloyd Blue and sister, proprietors of the St. Lawrence Hotel, Madoc, took over the ownership and management of the Royal Hotel, Marmora. They will operate both hotels. For years the St. Lawrence hotel has had a reputation as a well conducted hotel, serving good meals and looking after the comfort of their guests. The same policy will be followed at Marmora.

Monthly Meeting St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The April meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Roy Eggleton on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. L. Rodgers extended greetings to the members and visitors. Mrs. C. Tummion read the minutes of the last meeting. The report of the visiting committee with each member of the Society a member of that committee, showed increased interest in visitation. Increased interest in our sick and shut-ins would lead to a stronger church.

Mrs. Chas. Devolin opened the second part of the meeting. Mrs. Vernon Matthews played a piano solo. Music has the power to transport our hearts into the spirit of Easter. Mrs. E. Foster read the Scripture Lesson from one of the Psalms. The meeting then joined in repeating together the Apostle's Creed. After the singing of the hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," Mrs. H. Rollins read the Scripture Lesson from John, Chapter 20.

Mrs. R. A. Hermiston received the offering with the words "Freely ye have received freely give." Gaily decorated envelopes had been handed out to the members and home helpers. As we pray and give so shall we earn for ourselves a crown in our Father's Home.

Synod Meeting Review

Mrs. W. H. V. Walker gave a complete review of the Synodical Meeting in Barrie. The theme of their meet-

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ings, the Royal Command to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature should convince us of the extreme importance of missionary work. Miss Frieda Matthews was one of the speakers. She urged that if we are really living for Jesus we would have our hearts filled with a desire to do justly and to walk humbly with God. We are our brothers keeper so we must be courageous.

Mrs. Blanche Reid read an Easter story. An Easter solo by Mrs. Don Rodgers helped further to create the spirit of Easter.

The topic on "Hints for Easter" was very ably taken by Mrs. Chas. Fargy. The Spring with the coming to life of the grass, the return of the birds is suggestive of the meaning of Easter. Too few of us realize that Christ arose for us. We therefore should pledge our allegiance to Him.

Mrs. R. H. Williams, Glad Tidings Secretary, emphasized the importance of her magazine. As we read and learn we cannot help but take a greater interest in the work. The singing of a hymn and the benediction brought the meeting to a close.

Mrs. Chas. Devolin, Mrs. Don Rodgers and the hostess, served a dainty lunch. Mrs. Eggleton expressed her thanks to all those who helped. She gave a special "thank you" to Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Fargy for their fine missionary messages. Miss Gena Spry on behalf of the Society, thanked Mrs. Eggleton for the successful meeting.

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Easter Services In Commemoration of Resurrection Largely Attended

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In commemoration of the Resurrection with its promise of eternal life—Easter services were held in all the Stirling churches on Sunday last with large congregations being in attendance.

The sacred buildings were beautifully decorated with lilies and other spring flowers of varied hues.

ST. ANDREW'S

The Easter Season was observed in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, last Sunday at 11 a.m. by a large congregation, when an impressive service was conducted by the Minister, Rev. W. H. V. Walker.

Fine music featured the service with Mrs. R. H. Williams at the console. A large choir offered two splendid anthems, "How Calm and Beautiful the Morn" and "Christ the Lord is Risen Today." The Junior Choir sang very sweetly, "He Lives," accompanied by Mrs. Charles Fargy owing to the illness of the regular pianist, Mrs. Clarke Rodgers. A solo by William Reynolds, "The First Easter Morn," was well rendered.

Easter lilies were in evidence on the altar, placed there by Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hermiston and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ward. Special mention was made of the fine gesture of the Girl Guides and their leaders in having an Easter Lily put in each church on Easter Sunday.

An appropriate message was delivered by the Minister from 1 Peter 1-3 with the challenge to cast ourselves on Christ's love and mercy and the Power of His Resurrection, and like Peter pass from the mists of the low lands to the joy of the uplands; and experience the Easter Peace.

ST. JOHN'S

Lovely Easter flowers beautified St. John's Anglican Church on Easter Day as the traditional Exarchist was celebrated at 8 a.m. One hundred and thirty-four persons were present.

The Rector preached on "I am the Resurrection and the Life." The choir sang "The Risen Christ" by John Holier. The Junior Choir rendered "He who gave for us His Life."

Memorial flowers were given by Pauline, Peggy and Jack Bailey in memory of their mother, Mrs. W. Bailey. Grace Carleton presented flowers in memory of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Macgillivray and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carleton. The Girl Guides very kindly placed an Easter Lily in the church to be given to the Rector's wife.

ST. PAUL'S

The large congregation last Sunday morning overflowed into the gallery when many visitors home for the Easter tide joined the regular worshippers at St. Paul's Church. The service was largely choral and included two exceptional solos from Handel's Messiah. Wm. Ayleworth sang gloriously "The Trumpet Shall Sound" and Mrs. Walter Warren with every note shining exultantly "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." The lovely voices of Misses Marlene Carlisle, Marlene Moorcroft and Mrs. Harry Brown were heard in the ladies' trio, "Hear Our Prayer."

The full choir was resonant and Easter-joyous in Simper's "Hallelujah! Now Is Christ Risen." Both choirs shared in the great Easter Antiphonal anthem. Early in the service the Junior Choir in snowy surplices filled the church with the victory notes of "This Joyful Easter tide." Wm. Ayleworth sounded the fanfare marking the opening and closing of the service. The organ voluntaries were most praiseworthy including "Mozart's Alleluia," "The Easter Carol" and "Gloria in Excelsis," by Pergolesi.

Message

The Minister's message was based on St. Matthew's record of the Resurrection. Christians were challenged to make every day a resurrection day—dying to their "old self" and rising to

Scouts To Attend St. John's Church Sunday Morning

On Sunday, April 25th, the Guides, Brownies, Scouts and Cubs will attend service at St. John's Anglican Church in memory of St. George, the Patron Saint of England. All members are asked to meet at the Public School at 10.30 a.m. Mothers and fathers of the boys and girls are especially invited to attend as this will be the last church parade this year. Let's all get out Sunday morning and make this a day to be remembered.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ward Barlow, of North Bay, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ruth, to Mr. Raeburn Glenn Thain, son of Mrs. Thain and the late Mr. Frederick Thain, of Stirling, Ontario. Wedding to take place 4 o'clock, May 22nd, 1954 at St. Brice's Anglican Church, North Bay.

Television Set Stolen Here

Television thieves have made their appearance in the village for the first time. Some time during Monday night they entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pitcher, 213 Mill St., and removed their television set. Clarke Rodgers, a neighbour, discovered the theft when he went in on Tuesday morning to feed the Pitcher dogs. Chief S. Eggleton was summoned and is investigating the theft. Mr. and Mrs. Pitcher are away and the house was unoccupied at the time of the theft.

Son of G. McGowan Killed at Havelock

Robert James McGowan, two and one-half-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George McGowan, of Havelock, was killed instantly in front of his home about 5.15 p.m. Friday. The child apparently rushed in front of a car driven by Cecil Richardson, a young electrician in Trent River, and was thrown to the side of the road. Besides his parents the child is survived by a brother Jake and a sister Jean.

Mr. McGowan is a former resident of West Huntingdon, and his many friends throughout this district will regret to learn of his loss.

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Lilies

The beautiful lilies which bordered the altar area included memorial blooms in loving memory of Roy B. Duffin from Mrs. Duffin and of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heasman from Harry, Edward and Isobel Heasman and their grandchildren Dennis and Maria.

"Other lilies included blooms from No. 1 Company Stirling Girl Guides, St. Paul's Woman's Association, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Elliott, Mrs. George and Miss Mildred White, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good and Rev. and Mrs. Baker.

Evening Choral Service

The Royal Choir interpreted a special evening service which opened with a captivating word of welcome from Miss Elaine Vandervoort. The programme was followed without exception as printed in last week's News-Argus.

Pantomime

Misses Wendy Warren Jeanette Aythart, Marilyn Rose and Grace Heasman were beautiful in voice and poise as they sang "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" and "In the Cross of Christ I Glory." In beautiful long white dresses they stood about the cross. Scripture passages were as- (Continued on page Seven)

V. MATTHEWS HONOURED ON 60th ANNIVERSARY

A happy family gathering to celebrate Vernon Matthew's 60th birthday anniversary took place at his home, on the Ridge Road, last Sunday, April 18th. This surprise party was highlighted by a sumptuous turkey dinner completed by a birthday cake made by Mrs. G. C. Baragar.

Those who were present included Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Matthews, from Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baragar and Mrs. Getra Baker, of Belleville; Miss Frieda Matthews and Miss Lillian Matthews, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker, Sharon and Bill, of Kingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cronk and Angela, of Wellington.

The family presented Vernon with a lovely leather billfold containing a substantial sum of money.

Suffers Stroke

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Geo. Taylor, formerly of Stirling, and now residing in Frankford, will regret to learn that she has suffered a stroke.

Funeral of Miss Agnes Mae Currie

The funeral of the late Miss Agnes Mae Currie, who died on Thursday last, was held in St. Paul's United Church on Saturday afternoon, April 17th and was largely attended by sorrowing friends from the district. Members of the Women's Missionary Societies in Marsh Hill and Stirling sat in a body directly behind the mourners.

Rev. A. E. Baker conducted the service. Rev. H. Giffin, of the Foxboro Charge, of which Marsh Hill is a part, brought a message on the theme "God is for the living rather than for the dead." He paid tribute to the loyalty and devotion of the deceased.

Mrs. A. E. Baker presided at the organ and Miss Gena Vanderwater, of Toronto, sang by special request, "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart."

The pallbearers were Messrs. H. R. Tompkins, R. A. Patterson and Fred Bateman, of Stirling, and Dave Hollinger, Fred Campbell and Ben Blecker, of Marsh Hill.

Interment was in Stirling Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay Celebrate 45th Wedding Anniversary

On Wednesday evening, April 14th, approximately seventy-five neighbors, friends and relatives, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hay, near Central Cheese Factory, to celebrate with them their forty-fifth wedding anniversary.

The party was planned by their daughter Mrs. George (Helen) Curry, of Belleville, and she made and decorated a tiered fruit cake and pepper-mint fudge patties. Mrs. Curry had also decorated the living room for the occasion with streamers and bells and white candlebra.

Mrs. Hay received her guests in a dress of mauve nylon with a corsage of yellow roses, while her groom wore a white carnation in his lapel. Several flash pictures were taken and Mrs. Mitchell assisted her parents with the cake cutting ceremony. Mrs. Hay was formerly Martha Crippen, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Crippen, of Cordova. Mr. Hay is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hay, R.R. 3, Stirling.

The ceremony at high noon on April 14th, 1909, was performed by Rev. A. Seccomb at the Methodist Parsonage, Marmora. They resided in Marmora and Deloro for several years, and in 1920 moved to the old homestead in Rawdon Township.

They have two sons, Lester, Mount Pleasant, and Carl, of Fenella; two daughters, Mrs. George (Helen) Curry, Belleville, and Mrs. Delbert (Gladys) Mitchell, of Warkworth, and five grandchildren. Guests were in attendance from Marmora, Belleville, Fenella and Warkworth.

SCHOOL GIRL KILLED WHEN HIT BY CAR

Georgina "Jean" Nobles, 11, foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman, Stirling R.R. 4, was instantly killed Thursday afternoon about 3.15 when struck by a car on No. 14 Highway, a short distance north of the Marsh Hill School, about three miles south of this village.

The little girl, who was on her way home from school, had been playing ball with a school chum as they walked along the edge of the highway at the foot of Oak Hills. She missed the ball and darted out onto the highway to retrieve it when she was struck by a car driven by G. B. Faulkner, of Stirling.

Faulkner was held by police and charged with dangerous driving. He was released on bail. The accident was investigated by Constable D. McAlonen of the Belleville O.P.P. detachment. No inquest will be held.

A ward of the Children's Aid Society at Belleville the Nobles girl had been with the Heasman family for seven years. She attended Marsh Hill School and belonged to Marsh Hill United Church, where she was a member of the junior choir.

She is survived by two sisters, Janice, of Belleville, and Dorothy Marie, of Springbrook, and one brother, James Edward, also of Springbrook.

The funeral took place Saturday afternoon from the Duffin Funeral Home at Stirling and was largely attended. Rev. Giffin, of Foxboro, conducted the service.

The pallbearers were Ralph Parks, Douglas Dettlor, Ray Coneglio Jr., Raymond Ross, Ralph Park and Douglas Brenton.

Interment Stirling Cemetery.

Tournament Dates

President C. A. Wells and Secretary F. R. Mallory represented Stirling Lawn Bowling Club at the spring meeting of District No. 15 Ontario Provincial Lawn Bowling Association held in Trenton on Monday night.

Dates allotted for tournaments to the local club are Wednesday, June 23rd, triples; Wednesday, August 4th, mixed triples; Wednesday, September 1st, men's triples; and Saturday, September 25th, men's doubles.

Their Pastor, Rev. R. R. Bonsteel

Presided over a short programme and Mrs. Thomas Saries led in group singing, which included, "Seeing Martha Home." Mrs. Percy MacMullen recited "a poem of other days," and Mr. John Mulholland sang two comic selections. Mr. Victor Crippen, of Marmora, contributed several violin selections. Mrs. Kenneth Weaver read "The Patchwork Quilt." Harvey Couch and Victor Crippen gave harmonica and banjo music. Brief addresses of congratulation were given by Mr. Geo. Weaver and Councillor Earl McAdam.

Mr. Ross Hoard read an address of appreciation on behalf of neighbours and friends who had been invited and Messrs. Herbert Smith and Grant Hubble made the presentation of an electric tri-light floor lamp. The address was signed by Helen Hubble, Nellie Smith and Fernie Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Hay then opened the large array of parcels from relatives and these included an electric tea kettle, television floral lamp, linen table cloth, china cake plate and cups and saucers, gold satin cushion and an assortment of other gifts.

Their daughter, Helen Curry, voiced thanks to everyone for their kindness to her mother and father.

Refreshments were served which included, sandwiches, cookies, relishes, fruit bread, pickles, tarts, wedding cake and candy. Following a social half hour the guests dispersed after expressing good wishes for future happiness.

Has Tonsilectomy

Nancy Finkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Finkle, underwent an tonsilectomy in Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday.

Moves To Town

A. F. Sparks, pipe organ technician, has taken up residence in Mrs. C. A. McConnell's apartment, Front St., moving from Madoc on Saturday last. Recently he has been engaged in tuning and repairing the organ in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Three Little Rabbits

Three little rabbits were discovered hiding in the grass along Rawdon Creek on Saturday by Leonard Stanley, of Toronto, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tucker. Mrs. Tucker is feeding them with a nipple and at time of going to press they are said to be doing well.

Sidney Stays Dry

Sidney Township remained in the "Dry" column, following yesterday's vote on the granting of a liquor lounge or beer and wine license, with the "drys" winning a convincing victory. On the beer and wine question 834 voted "yes" and 1738 voted "no", while 855 voted for the lounge and 1773 against.

Local and Personal

Miss Grace Carleton, Toronto, spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Carleton.

Miss Eleanor Wells, Kingston, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wells.

Miss Shirley Ackers, Toronto, was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Ann Ackers.

Mrs. Ed. Dodwell and Billy, of Oshawa, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rodgers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bird and Douglas, spent the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray, Brampton.

Mrs. Roy Walker, Campbellford, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Don Heath, and Mr. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pitcher left on Friday last to visit the former's sister, in Ludington, Mich.

Mr. Meighen Rodgers is spending a few days this week visiting relatives in Oshawa and Toronto.

Miss Arline Tummson and Mr. Uel Wallace, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tummson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beatty and daughters, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mrs. Hugh Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McIntosh, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead.

Miss Helen Stapley, of Hastings, is spending the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. R. Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGee.

Miss Roberta Good, of Kingston, spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrell, Paris, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bronson spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. James Bronson, of Madoc.

Mrs. Geo. Emslie, of Windsor, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Gordanier.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Tonkin, of Toronto, were Easter guests of Mrs. R. B. Duffin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Drummond, of Downsview, Ont., spent the Easter week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Boyce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jackman, of Mimico, spent the Easter week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. A. Fanning, John St.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greenley, Toronto, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Greenley and Mrs. M. Rose.

Mrs. Bessie Balmforth, of Meaford, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Devolin and other relatives in town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliott and Mr. (Continued on page eight)

Lady Bowlers Enjoy Party

Home of Mrs. C. R. Bastedo Scene of Event — Prizes Are Presented To Winners

Pinis was written to the activities of the Wednesday Evening Ladies Bowling League, on Wednesday evening of last week when they enjoyed a get-together at the home of Mrs. C. R. Bastedo.

Court Whist was played with Marie West Having the high score, and Tillie Green the low. A dainty lunch was served, after which prizes for the season's bowling were distributed.

The play-offs were won by Flo Bastedo's trundlers, while Harriett Kirns' team led the league at the end of the regular schedule.

Members of the championship team are Flo Bastedo, Gladys Richardson, Ruth Brady, Verna Sutherland, Marie West, Marion Bastedo, Pearl Fraser and Jane McCabe.

The league winners were Harriett Kirn, Marion Bentley, Flo Hawkins, Reta Van Wynzaarden, Margaret McGee, Tilly Green and Rosa Spry.

The high average score was won by Rosa Spry with 182; high single, Lenora West, 297; high-triple, Gladys Lancaster, 676; high triple for spares, Ethel Mace, 653; low prize, Mary Valchar.

The prizes, consisting of hammered aluminum articles, were presented by President Marion Bentley and Secretary Margaret Royle.

The thanks of the League to Mrs. Bastedo for opening her home for the party were voiced by Mrs. Royle, after which all sang "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow," to bring an enjoyable evening to a close.

Death Claims Mrs. Clayton Tucker On Sunday Last

Following an illness of six months' duration, Mrs. Clayton Tucker, of this village, died in Belleville General Hospital on Sunday last, in her 75th year.

Born in Rawdon Township the late Mrs. Tucker was the former Emily Beatrice Morton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Morton. Prior to coming to Stirling eight years ago, she had lived in Sidney Township. She was a member of St. Paul's United Church and St. Paul's W.A., Stirling, and River Valley Women's Institute.

Left to mourn besides her husband, William Clayton Tucker, are two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Weaver, Belleville, and Mrs. Frank (Alice) Molen, of Frankford, and one grandson, Frank Weaver, Trenton.

The funeral was held from her late residence, Church St., Stirling, to St. Paul's United Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Tuesday. Rev. A. E. Baker conducted the service, assisted by Mr. W. H. Farrow, of West Huntingdon, and Mrs. Walter Warren sang, "The Old Rugged Cross."

The pallbearers were Messrs. Kenneth Ray, Cameron Montgomery, Will Drewry, Jack Morrison, Harold Wright and Wm. Sills.

Interment in Bethel Cemetery.

- COMING EVENTS -

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Mrs. G. Bartindale Elected President Pine Grove W.I.

On Thursday afternoon of last week members of Pine Grove Women's Institute gathered at the home of Mrs. Earl Horton for their annual meeting, with Mrs. Harold Detlor presiding.

Mrs. Harry Coulter, secretary-treasurer, gave a full report of the year's receipts and expenditures. The books had been audited by Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. A. Finkle and Mrs. J. Brown gave the auditor's report, stating that they had been found correct.

Mrs. Harold Detlor, who has served as president for the past two years, gave her report thanking everyone who had assisted her during this time, especially Mrs. J. L. Good and the pupils of Marsh Hill school.

It was decided to pay \$50.00, the balance of Pine Grove's total subscription to the Belleville Hospital Building Fund, immediately.

Shower of Cards

A shower of cards is to be sent by the members to Mr. Marshall, who has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ted Chant in Hampton.

The conveners of the standing committees for the year gave reports of their work, and these conveners will forward their reports to the district conveners soon.

The Extension Services were discussed but a definite choice will not be made until a later date.

Mrs. F. Heasman, convener of nominating committee, brought in the new slate of officers and these were duly elected as follows:

President, Mrs. G. Bartindale; 1st vice-president, Mrs. R. Vanderwater; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. A. Finkle; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. H. Coulter; assistant secretary-treasurer, Mrs. L. Finkle; district director, Mrs. H. Detlor; directors, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. A.

Tanner, Mrs. F. Lindenfield; auditors, Mrs. R. Coneglio, Mrs. E. Horton; pianists, Mrs. R. Vanderwater, Mrs. F. Campbell.

Standing Committees — Agriculture, Mrs. H. Coulter; Canadian industries, Mrs. H. Detlor; citizenship, Mrs. F. Campbell; education, Mrs. L. Finkle; community activities and public relations, Mrs. F. Finkle; historical research and current events, Mrs. R. Vanderwater; home economics and health, Mrs. F. Heasman; resolutions, Mrs. A. Tanner.

In the absence of the newly elected president, Mrs. G. Bartindale, the first vice-president, Mrs. R. Vanderwater, took the chair for the remainder of the meeting. Fourteen members paid their fees for the new year.

The executive and the standing committee conveners will meet on April 29th at Mrs. F. Heasman's home to plan the programme for the new year. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served and a social half hour enjoyed.

The May meeting on "Citizenship" will be held the third Wednesday of the month at Mrs. R. Vanderwater's home under the convenship of Mrs. F. Campbell.

Sidney Township Council Met

Sidney Township Council met at Wallbridge April 5th at 1 p.m. All members present. Road voucher No. 4 for \$4,704.05 and April pay sheet were paid.

The clerk was instructed to write the Minister of Municipal Affairs inquiring the progress being made into the tax investigation report of the years 1946 to 1951.

Mr. Percy Sutherland and Mr. Wm. Slavin addressed council re issue of \$7,000 debenture for 5 years to complete new two-room public school at S.S. No. 7, Sidney.

Deputy reeve J. B. Harder and

councillor H. Hamilton were appointed members from Sidney township to the Trenton and district planning board.

The treasurer of Hastings County was reimbursed \$81.25 re hospital accounts. A. McFarland was refunded \$69.52 for overpaid 1953 taxes. A by-law for the issue of debentures for S.S. No. 7 and a by-law to amend the Jones' Creek Drainage by-law No. 1,309 were given two readings.

The road superintendent was instructed to attend the Weed Control Conference to be held in Kemptonville on April 20th and 21st.

In the evening Sidney council met Thurlow council re division of maintenance of the boundary roads between that two municipalities.

Council adjourned to meet Monday, May 2nd at 1 p.m., D.S.T.

R. VANDERWATER, Clerk

Mrs. Thos. Clements Is Hostess To Salem W.A.

The April meeting of Salem W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Tom Clements on Thursday of last week in the form of a dinner and quilting. There was a splendid attendance of members and visitors with a large quilt and a crib quilt being completed. At the noon hour Mrs. Chas. Mumby was presented with a box of chocolates and "Happy Birthday" sung for her.

During the afternoon the President, Mrs. Mayo, opened the meeting with a poem and the W.A. theme song and prayer. Mrs. Bert Sine acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. E. Broadworth. Roll call was answered by a short prayer by each member.

A "thank you" letter was read from Mrs. Mel Wickens on behalf of her father. Business was discussed and plans made for catering to the Community Sale early in May. The Presi-

dent announced that part of the cheese factory had been purchased by the W.A. to build a church hall.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. J. B. Hagerman. An Easter hymn was sung and prayer led by Rev. Glover. Mrs. Will Wright read the Easter Scripture Lesson. Suitable readings were given by Mrs. Frank McGee, Mrs. Orval Jackson and Mrs. George Sine. Mrs. Lindsay Tanner gave the topic on "Easter." Rev. Glover gave a short talk after which the meeting closed with a hymn and benediction.

Mrs. V. Hagerman moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Clements and all who helped with the programme.

Easter Thankoffering Meting of St. Paul's W.M.S. Auxiliary Largely Attended

Practically every chair was filled in the Sunday School Hall of St. Paul's United Church when about 90 ladies attended the Easter Thank-Offering meeting of the W.M.S. Auxiliary last Tuesday afternoon.

Quiet music was played by Mrs. C. H. David, which helped prepare those present to enjoy the beautiful worship service. The President, Mrs. George Carliele, read an Easter poem and offered prayer. Mrs. C. Lansing, convener of group four, took the chair for the remainder of the meeting. The Scripture Lesson from St. John's Gospel was read by Mrs. Mary Vandervoort and timely comments on the same were read by the leader. Mrs. David Luery led in prayer.

Mrs. Earl Eggleton introduced the guest speaker, the Rev. Miriam Collins, Assistant Minister of Bridge St. United Church, Belleville.

Miss Collins is a native of Toronto and a graduate of Emmanuel College. Her first appointment was one to test

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her courage, as she was sent to a rather lonely charge on Manitoulin Island. After two years, she was transferred to Hamilton Presbytery and eventually was given a full pastorate at Fairfield. Later she accepted an offer to become Assistant Minister of Colbourne United Church, London, Ont., where she was a very active and devoted servant, until she was transferred to Belleville.

The speaker centred her thoughts on the Resurrection of our Lord, and the events leading up to Easter Morning. If Jesus had not risen, woman's place in society and the home would be entirely different today. Happy are we if we can respond in faith to His call as Mary Magdalene did, and can accept Him as Lord of our lives, our homes, Churches and communities. If we can do this, then Christ did not die and rise in vain. We cannot prove his resurrection in words, it is something we have to know and experience in our own hearts. If we have heard his voice and it has challenged us to give our best then we know He lives. "I serve a risen Saviour, He's in the world today, I know that He is living, whatever men may say."

I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,
And just the time I need Him, He's always near.
He lives, He lives, Christ lives today
He walks with me, and talks with me,
Along life's narrow way.
He lives, He lives,
Salvation to impart.
You ask me how I know He lives?
He lives within my heart.

Mrs. Wm. Wilkins Easter message in song was a very fitting and beautiful addition to the afternoon's programme. Mrs. E. G. Bailey gave the financial report and Mrs. R. Stapley conducted a short quiz on the Missionary Monthly. The press and literature secretary displayed the new scrapbook and reported the beginning of a book shelf.

Following a hymn and benediction the ladies formed a friendship circle and lunch was served by Mrs. Lansing and her committee.

Mrs. W. T. Elliott moved a vote of thanks to the guest speaker and soloist and all who assisted in providing an outstanding Easter program.

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St. Paul's--Carmel News Items

(By Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E.C.)

Centennial Year fraternal visits will resume next Sunday evening when the congregations of the Cannifton and Plainfield Churches will worship in Stirling. Rev. L. S. Throop, Chairman of the Belleville Presbytery and Rev. E. J. Kersey, of Plainfield, together with a composite choir from Cannifton will lead the praise. The Woman's Association will entertain the visitors and members of the congregation at the close of the service. All services next Sunday will be on daylight saving time.

Thank You Ladies

The services of the following in ironing snowy white gowns for the Royal Choir Easter service is gladly recorded: Mesdames Claude Tucker, L. Wannamaker, R. Rose, Harold Wells, Douglas Patterson, X. P. Mayhew, Hubert Thrasher, M. Aryhart, D. Luery, C. West and Miss D. Caldwell. Mrs. Geo. Carlisle also volunteered. The scarlet hoods were pressed by Mrs. Leatha Thompson and all the surpluses some sixty-five or seventy were washed and starched by an interested mother who has cared for them for the past four years with the exception of one occasion when the Woman's Association paid to have them laundered.

Over The Sink

In his book the "Autograph of God," Dr. Archer Wallace relates Wm. Stiger's story of an aging couple whose home and barn in the White Mountains were razed by fire. The local minister who led in raising funds to replace the buildings found she had a surplus. She asked the couple

what they would chiefly desire with it. Something for the new house you did not have in the old. She replied: "I have stood over the sink washing dishes for thirty-five years. Always I have looked at the blank wall, while the wall hid a beautiful view of the White Mountains, I wish you could put a window over the sink so that I can see the mountains."

For over a dozen years the old lady saw the mountains whenever she washed the dishes. She said that to see their massive and enduring grandeur was like looking into eternity. It lifted her mind above pettiness and trifling annoyances. It's a great thing to have "a window over the sink."

Mother's Day

It is not too early to plan for the honouring of mother. No matter how old you are you have still a mother. She may be here or in the "Gloryland." Plan to honour mother on Mother's Sunday, May 9th.

Citizens' Committee

The Sidney Township Citizens' Committee has acknowledged \$27.00 offering from St. Paul's U.C., Stirling, "with deep appreciation."

Mrs. Roy Bush is congratulated on her broadcast over CJBQ last Thursday in the interest of the Citizens' Committee.

Holy Week

On Monday the Holy Week service was held at Carmel. Misses Dawn Hubel and Tinka Visser sang a helpful selection with Mrs. A. N. Pyear as accompanist. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights the Minister conducted the services at St. Paul's. He traced the events of this week in the life of Christ, save on Tuesday when the devotional address was given by Rev. W. S. Irwin and based on "Remembering."

Youthful Organists

Miss Rose Anne Vandervoort was in charge of the organ on Tuesday night and Miss Grace Heasman on Wednesday night. These were the first public playings of the organ by these promising young musicians. They not only played for the hymns but for voluntaries as well.

Mr. Meighen Rodgers sang "The Voice of One Crying in the Wilderness" on Thursday and the choir a selection from "Olivet to Calvary."

Good Friday

One of the most largely attended Good Friday services was held at 10.30 a.m. when nine candidates were received into church membership by the rite of Confirmation. These were Gordon William Wannamaker, Richard Allyn Warren, Roy Denton Shortt, Fred George Palmer, Richard Barry Hewton, Douglas Hubert Thrasher, Gary Douglas Rose, Kenneth Allen Sager and Miss Doreen Alice Thrasher.

One hundred and two communicants partook of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Rev. R. R. Bonsteel dispensed this ordinance following a devotional address in which he said "Christianity is not the product of ideas but of events."

The choir sang "Droop Sacred Head." Rev. W. S. Irwin pronounced the benediction.

Confirmation Testaments and certificates were presented by Mr. Geo. Carlisle, clerk of session, after the candidates had received the "right hand of fellowship" from the Minister. Rev. R. R. Bonsteel and Rev. W. S. Irwin, Elders George Carlisle and Walter T. Elliott.

Easter Day Offerings

The total Lenten and Easter Day offerings at Carmel amounted to \$674. The names of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Brown should have been included with the list of seat donors last week. The treasurer also received several sizeable gifts which were not designated in any way.

The Lenten and Easter offerings at St. Paul's now amount to \$308.35. It is expected that a few envelopes will yet come in. With a deep sense of gratitude to God and to all who have shared in this work the 1954 season came to a close.

Choir Practices

Regular Junior and Senior Choir

practices will be resumed Thursday, April 29th. The following Junior Choir members will be promoted to St. Paul's Senior Choir on Sunday, June 6th: Jeanette Aryhart, Marilyn Rose, Wendy Warren, Patricia Fraser, Grace Heasman and Doreen Thrasher. It is expected that a regular choir will be organized at Carmel which will include the older girls now eligible to graduate from the Royal Choir. High School entrance, has marked the line of transfer.

Sympathy

The sympathy of St. Paul's congregation is extended to Mr. Clayton Tucker and his loved ones bereaved by the death of Mrs. Tucker on Easter-day.

Mt. Pleasant W.M.S. Easter Program

Mrs. Burton Sharpe was hostess on Wednesday, April 14th for the Easter meeting of Mount Pleasant W.M.S.

Sixteen members answered the roll call and there were six adult visitors and several children. Mrs. Frank Jeffs read an Easter message and all sang "The Wondrous Cross." Mrs. Will Jeffs presided at the piano. Mrs. Percy MacMullen gave her report. The offering was gathered by Miss Jean Sharpe and dedicated by Mrs. Ross Hoard. Mrs. Ross Jeffs reported \$63.00 forwarded to Belleville Presbyterial Treasurer for first quarter.

Mrs. MacMullen read an item from the April Monthly re the Missionary for prayer, Miss Gwen Gardner. Mrs. Will Potts recorded Community Friendship work. Congratulations was extended to Miss Ruth Linn, leader of the Mission Band for her success in being awarded a certificate of merit at Belleville Presbytery. Mrs. Roy Thrasher read a thank you letter. She also announced a quilting in May and expressed thanks for donations to the layette. The supply department expects to ship the parcel soon.

Mrs. R. Hoard brought a Stewardship message and Mrs. John Holmes read an article on "The Modern Beverage Room." Reports of the recent Presbyterial were given by the delegates, Mrs. M. Wrightman and Mrs. Eric Summers, and the other five ladies who attended spoke briefly.

The Easter programme was prepar-

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ed by Mrs. Milford Wrightman and she presided. She also gave a synopsis of the book, "The Greatest Faith Ever Known," written by Fulton Oursler and his daughter, Mrs. Armstrong. She was assisted by Mrs. Kenneth Weaver and Miss Ruth Linn.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen gave a reading, "The Easter Lilies." Mrs. Ed. Richardson contributed an accordion solo. Vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. Marguerite McMullen and Mrs. James Hoard. The Easter Bible Lessons were read by Mrs. Orno Sharp and Mrs. John Mulheron.

The service closed with "There is a Greek Hill Far Away," after which the hostess and her assistants served light refreshments.

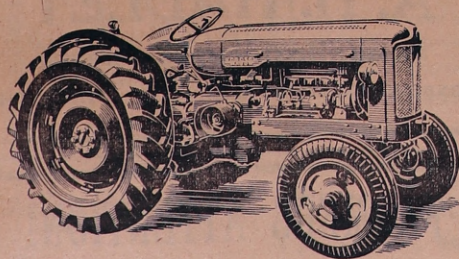
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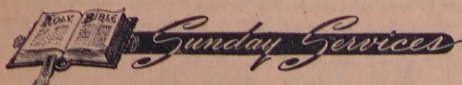
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St. Andrew's
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Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Church School "The Easter Duty" with music by Junior and Senior Choirs.

West Huntingdon
2.00 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service "Some great Resurrection words."
All services Daylight Saving Time

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St. John's, Stirling
9.15 a.m.—Holy Eucharist
10.00 a.m.—Church School
11.00 a.m.—Mattins, Scout, Guides, Cubs and Brownies Church Parade
Thursday, April 22nd — Executive Council meeting 8.00 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



Rawdon Circuit
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. R. R. Bonsteel, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Wellman's
2.30 p.m.—Bethel
7.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant

STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL
CHARGE

Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E., Minister
— Daylight Time —
St. Paul's
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—"Four Classes"
8.00 p.m.—Cannifton Fraternal Service

Carmel
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
3.00 p.m.—Public Worship
Plan to share in the public worship of God. Visitors welcomed.

Mount Pleasant

Rev. R. R. Bonsteel conducted the Easter Service on Sunday afternoon at Mount Pleasant and based his message on the text "The Disciples were glad when they saw the Lord." The choir rendered two Easter anthems and the congregational hymns, were based on that theme. Yellow daffodils and Easter lilies added beauty. The Pastor placed a lovely Easter Lily in the church in memory of his mother. Several visitors from other points were in attendance at the service. The W.M.S. thankoffering was received.

Thirteen people from here attended the Good Friday Service at Wellman's and eight of these assisted with the choir number.

The Official Board scheduled for Tuesday evening, April 13th, at the church was re-arranged to be held on Tuesday afternoon. As there was a very small attendance some of the business had to be left over until another quarter. Plans, however, were made to have a joint Communion Service at Bethel United Church on Sunday, June 27th. The every family plan for the Observer was briefly discussed. The Pastor presided at the meeting.

The Two-by-Two Club entertained West Huntingdon Adult Group, St. Andrew's, Stirling, and about fifteen from Bethel and Wellman's on Tuesday evening, April 13th at the church hall. Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Rev. R. Bonsteel, Mr. H. Farrow and Mr.

Arthur Wilson, each spoke briefly and various folk assisted with the program.

Rev. F. G. Joblin, Port Perry, expected to attend the Easter Service at his home church which would be his first appearance at church since last November. All his friends hope that his health continues to improve.

Mr. Sid Mason, Stirling, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Saries.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Steacy and Murray Wayne and little Brenda Bradley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steacy, of Stirling, motored to Smiths Falls and visited with the former's mother and brother on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clarke and family, of Markham, spent Easter with her father and brothers.

The Sunbeam Mission Band will convene at the church on Sunday morning, April 25th and the Easter Thank offering will be received.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mrs. Clifford Sine, Miss Doris Sine, attended the funeral of Miss Mac Currie on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hay, Fenella, Ontario; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Mitchell, Irvon, Douglas and Dianna, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Mitchell, Warkworth; Mr. and Mrs. George Curry and John, and Mrs. C. McGrimmon, Clifford, Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. W. Crippen, Victor, Mrs. Gertrude Caverly and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Derry, Mr. and

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, April 25th, 1954
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
SPEAKER
8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

— SERVICES —
SUNDAY — 3.00 p.m.
THURSDAY — 8.00 p.m.

To all who are interested in a full gospel message, we invite you to join us in this message.

PASTOR, G. F. PIERCE

Apr. 23-1yr

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Thursday, May 6th, 2 p.m. Hostess Mrs. Murney Scott, 218 Front Street West. Roll call, exchange of plants and bulbs. Synopsis of W.L. Movement in England, by Mrs. Percy MacMullen. Programme in charge of Miss Marion Carlisle.

Mrs. James Auger and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caverly and Carol, Mrs. Stan Reynolds and Blayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Caverly, Marmora, were among the relatives who attended the forty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Hay on Wednesday evening, April 14th.

Mr. Ronnie Williams spent the Easter week-end with friends at Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes entertained relatives from Niagara Falls and Madoc over the Easter holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farrar and Donna Marie and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Farrar, Trenton.

Mrs. George Curry and John, Belleville, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hay.

Mrs. Kenneth Stapley and family, of Ancaster, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hagerman and Harold.

Miss Shirley McKeown, nurse-in-training, spent Easter at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers entertained their granddaughters from Madoc Junction on Easter.

Miss Ruby Bateman, of Stirling, spent the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richardson and family.

Mr. John Bamber, Warkworth, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and Wayne and Mr. George Thrasher, Ivanhoe.

Mrs. Don Campbell is visiting Mrs. Harry Rollins, in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wrightman entertained on Good Friday Messrs. Larry Farrar and Bob Smith, Belleville.

The Parent-Teacher Group of the Allan Public School, S.S. No. 2, held their closing meeting at Mount Pleasant Church Hall Thursday evening, April 15th. Forty-nine parents and children sat down to a sumptuous supper of pancakes and maple syrup, topped off with a full course meal. The guests included Miss Audrey Newell's mother and sister, of Havelock, and Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel and Miss Ruby Bateman. The committee who assisted the teacher in planning the affair were Mrs. M. Wrightman, Mrs. Herbert Smith and Mrs. Clarence Scott. Several enjoyed crokinole, followed by a treat of candy.

Bonarlaw

Mrs. Gordon Oberholtzer, colour bearer of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario; Mrs. E. Grunerude and Mrs. Howie, of Port Rowan, and Mrs. N. Winger, of Hagersville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Barlow.

Mrs. Dave Wellman and Charlie visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wellman at Havelock, on Monday.

Mr. Donald Case and Miss Helen Heath, of Kingston, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heath.

Mr. Thomas Caldwell arrived in Bonarlaw last week, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. G. Campney, who will reside permanently in Bonarlaw. Mr. Caldwell spent the winter in Toronto.

Spry Settlement Sunday School was held on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bronson, with an attendance of thirty-seven.

Rylstone

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Lawrence, of Utterson, Muskoka, spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. Will Rutherford and family, following the death of their father, Mr. Charles Lawrence, of Campbellford.

Glenn and Marilyn Stewart are spending Easter holidays with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Donaldson, at Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband, of Napanee, were Sunday visitors of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gordon, of Marmora, spent Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Meiklejohn, and her husband and grandson, Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Biggs, of Norwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Petherick, of Stanwood, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller, Wayne and Shirley Stewart, of Trenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barnum, Betty Lou and Mr. Will Stewart, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spencer, of Campbellford and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones were supper guests on Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Palmer, Stirling.

We extend deepest sympathy to the husband and family of the late Mrs. Robert Munby, who passed away on Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Brunton, at Healey Falls after being in ill health for over nine years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer and girls spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lisle Sr., at Stanwood.

Jack Dunca, and Phil Allan and friends, of Hamilton, were week-end visitors with Jack's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKeown and family.

Mrs. Minnie Morton was a Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart.

Mrs. Frank Sheppard, of Peterboro, was an Easter visitor with her sisters, Mrs. Carl Reid and Mrs. Malin Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomson, Ronnie and Danny, of Billings, Bridge, Ottawa, were Sunday visitors with relatives at Rylstone.

West Huntingdon

Easter week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saries and Bobbie, included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrell, of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Page, of Pontiac, Mich.; Mr. Bert Saries and daughter, Mrs. Jean Jackson, of Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rollins, of Stirling; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dickens and Sharon, of Johnstown; and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Saries, Bobbie and Sharon, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Finkle, of Glen Ross; Mrs. Mary Strickland and Miss Barbara Tiffin, of Peterborough, were Good Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitchett and Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ashley and family, of Little Current, Manitoulin Island, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashley and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ashley.

Mrs. Keith Bray, of Ivanhoe, has been engaged as principal of West Huntingdon Public School, duties to commence September next.

Mr. Arthur Wilson had charge of the Easter Services on the Hilton United Church Circuit on Sunday.

Much sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. George McGowan, of Havelock, in the sudden passing of their young son. A large number from here attended the funeral service on Monday.

Mr. Philip Carr is attending the O.E.A. convention at Toronto this week.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy, Joan and Don, of Foxboro, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCurdy.

Mr. Kenneth Runnalls, of Peterborough, spent a few days at Easter with his father, Mr. Garfield Runnalls.

Easter visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr and Alvin were Mr. and Mrs. Adam Brummell and Bradley, of Coe Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Maxwell, of Bloomfield; Mrs. Elick Brummell and Miss Connie Brummell, of Wheaton College, U.S.A.; Mrs. W. Hubble, of Havelock, and Mrs. Leslie McKeown, Gerald and Carol, of Foxboro.

We are glad to welcome back to the community Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson. They are taking up residence in their newly remodeled home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond had as their Easter guests Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vardy and family, of Port Hope; Mr. Glen Hammond, Oshawa; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond and Wanda, of Cobourg; Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Burries, of Madoc, and Miss Jane Raymone, of Ajax.

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PHILLIPS — Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Phillips (nee Joan Johnson) wish to announce the arrival of a son, Robert Allan in Bracebridge Memorial Hospital, on Thursday, April 15th.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman would like to thank all those who sent all who sent cards of sympathy and flowers and in any other way were helpful during their recent bereavement. 20-1

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends who so kindly remembered me during my stay in Belleville Hospital and since returning home. 20-1

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all those who sent me cards and letters; a special "thank you" to the Friday Afternoon Energetic Bowling League for the Easter Lily and to the Elaine Footwear. 20-1p

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank friends and neighbours for their many expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness in the loss of my mother. 20-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Arthur Gordanier wishes to express her thanks to the members of the Stirling Women's Institute for the lovely box of fruit sent during her illness. 20-1

CARD OF THANKS

Mere words are inadequate to express our gratitude and appreciation to the many friends and neighbours, who during our dear sister's long illness remembered her with calls, letters, cards, flowers and many other expressions of love, that comforted her during her long hours of suffering, and since her passing for words of sympathy, cards and floral offerings; and to all who contributed to the Cancer Fund in memory of Mae, we thank you. A special "thank you" to Dr. Carleton, Rev. Harold Giffin and Rev. A. E. Baker, for their consoling words. To the Red Cross who were thoughtful of her comfort, and to the Duffin Funeral Home for their kind understanding and efficient management, we are grateful. 20-1 Ella and Walter Lindenfield

Marsh Hill

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Walter Lindenfield in the death of her sister, Miss Mae Currie, whose funeral was held Saturday afternoon at Stirling.

This community was shocked to hear of the death of Miss Jean Nobles. Thursday afternoon, Jean has spent the past seven years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hamblin, of Peterborough, were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Hollinger.

Prof. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Hugh and Catherine, of Guelph, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell.

Mr. W. J. Detlor and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Detlor and family, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Detlor, 4th of Sidney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berson Mitts were dinner guests Easter Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riley, of Belleville.

W.M.S. Meeting
The Easter Thank-offering meeting of Marsh Hill W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Heasman with 10 members present.

The President, Mrs. Leslie Finkle, opened the meeting with an Easter Meditation, prayer and a hymn, "Rejoice the Lord is King." The Supply Secretary, Mrs. David Hollinger stated that the bales had to be away by May 1st. Mrs. Bert Searles, stewardship secretary, gave a reading, "Christian Thinking." Mrs. F. Campbell, Christian Citizenship Secretary, gave a few facts on Temperance and reminded the group of the vote on April 21st.

Mrs. Walter Lindenfield presided over the worship service with the theme being, "New Life Through Love." She was assisted by Mrs. Harold Detlor and Mrs. Berson Mitts.

The program, "Relief For Korea," was taken by Mrs. Lindenfield, assisted by Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. B. Searles and Mrs. H. Detlor.

After the benediction the hostess served refreshments.

St. Paul's Mission Band

The regular meeting of the Golden Key Mission Band was held Wednesday afternoon in the United Church Parlours with the programme as follows:

Theme, "Jesus Welcomes Everybody In His Church;" Mission Band Purpose, repeated in unison; roll call, by Mrs. X. P. Mayhew, showing 27 in attendance. Hymn 502 was sung with Theima Stewart as pianist. The Scripture reading was read by Jean Ann Mayhew, Psalm 103. The offering was received by Ross Carlisle and dedicated by Ralph Carlisle. Wayne McCaughen led in prayer. The benediction was repeated in unison.

A beautiful play "Easter Jubilee" was put on with all the children taking part. A poem "Old Mother Earth" was read by Jean Davidson. Everyday cards were given to the children for sale of which the proceeds go to the Mission Band. A lovely lunch was served by Jean Ann Mayhew, Mary Ellen Warren, Jean Davidson and Fairlie Warren.

Minto

St. Thomas W.A. held their Easter meeting at the home of Mrs. Ted Preston on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Anderson, of Allan's Mills, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Colden, of Springbrook, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden.

Little Miss Diana Lloyd, of Belleville, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jeffrey and Joyce, of Peterborough, were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman.

Mrs. Percy Ray spent last week visiting relatives in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood and family spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Heath.

Ivanhoe

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon F. Harley and Walter, of London; Misses Louise Harley and Bobby Ferguson, pupils of the O.S.D., Belleville, spent the week-end with Mr. P. M. Wood.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, Mount Pleasant, and Mr. George Thrasher, Fort Steele, B.C.

Mrs. Emma Phillips and Wayne, Mr. Steven Larcombe, Mr. Wm. Larcombe, all of Trenton; Mr. Jos. Wickens, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Prest.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Young, John, Joan and Barbara, and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Guthridge, of Belleville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Dorothy Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wood spent Friday in Kingston visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benson and Patsy, spent Sunday afternoon in Havelock.

Con. Geo. Fleming, R.C.M.P., of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rollins and family were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Reid attended the Standard Church Young People's Convention held in Pembroke, Easter week-end.

Mrs. Keith Bray and Karen attended the Jenken — Elliott wedding in Tweed United Church on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Weleh, of Belleville, spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw.

Miss Aleatha Reid is visiting relatives in Rochester, Y.

Miss Ruth Thompson, Allan's Mills, is visiting Miss Sandra Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidner Reid and family and Mrs. Albert Clements spent Sunday in Marmora.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Challice, of Cavan; Mrs. Charles Stevenson, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rowson, of Port Hope; Miss Myrtle Reid, Ottawa, spent the Easter holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, Kingston, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacMillan.

Mrs. Burton Reid and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Rittwage in Brighton.

Mr. Gordon Robinson spent the week-end in Peterborough visiting his brother, who has returned from Korea.

Judy and Jack Wood spent Friday and Saturday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds and family, of Stirling, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mitz.

Mrs. Aileen Fleming, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleming.

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Williams School Entertained

On Wednesday evening, April 7th, Mrs. Russell Pyear and the pupils of Williams Public School were "At Home" to a special Home and School meeting when over thirty adults, parents and grandparents accepted an in-

itation to visit the school.

Gladys Palmer presided over a brief programme and graciously read a welcome to all after which the group sang, "O Canada." The children under the direction of the music teacher, Mrs. E. Moody, Belleville, delighted with songs and exercises in groupings of Juniors and Seniors. There were also piano selections, recitations and a reading exercise by Grade I. Raye David gave an address on "Our Great Need of Conservation in Canada."

Mr. Don Bell, of Foxboro, was introduced by Mrs. Pyear and he gave an outline of "The Planning Development of the Moira River Watershed." The speaker told of the ancient city of Babylon, once a flourishing city, and pointed out how by not practising conservation it became a sandy desert. He then gave interesting details of work being carried on today in India, Germany, Sweden, Denmark and other countries. In some it is unlawful to cut down a tree unless another is planted in its place.

Canada needs to conserve and in that way increase productivity. The speaker stressed the value of farm ponds, contour ploughing and recreational areas. He then presented a film and sound picture entitled "The Heritage We Guard," which was very interesting and educational.

Lyle Couch read a message of thanks to Mr. Bell for his kindness in coming to the school.

The pupils served an abundance of homemade candy which included maple sugar and a social half hour was enjoyed.

Mr. Burton Sharpe expressed thanks to teacher, pupils and speaker on behalf of the adults in attendance.

That After -- Dinner Speech

Sir Alan Herbert in a recent issue of the Atlantic quotes the poet Herbert:

The dog, considered a sagacious beast Does not give tongue when he has had a feast.

Nor does the cow go mooing round the mead To tell the world that she's enjoyed her feed.

Not even lions, I imagine, roar After a meal — unless they want some more.

All Nature has agreed that it is best, When fully fed, to ruminate and rest. The Ancient Romans, flushed with food and wine, Decided it was wiser to recline.

The cannibal, when he has had his fun Does not propose the health of anyone But Modern Man, by some malignant fate,

When he has eaten, simply must orate And those who don't, though eager for repose, Must strain their ears for quantities of prose,

If toasts and speeches have effective force Our land should be as healthy as a horse.

If wishful drinking rings a magic bell Our Trade, our Industry, should do quite well.

This quaint old custom could be understood If all the speeches were extremely good.

But it is not a very easy trade, And more than half of them were best not made.

Oh, what a wise and comfortable thing If all the toasts were silent — like "The King!"

Oh, may I live to hear the Chairman say: "Friends, you are welcome at our feast today.

Enjoy yourselves! Good company — good cheer And that's the only speech that you will hear."

MEETING IN OTTAWA

With representatives from ten provinces invited, the 40th annual meeting of the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association will be held in Ottawa, at the Chateau Laurier, on April 30th, under the chairmanship of Rhys M. Sale, of Windsor, Ont., the president.

Rylstone W.A.

The Woman's Association of Rylstone United Church held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Ellis Jones on Wednesday of last week. The meeting was in charge of the President, Mrs. Ray Stewart and the programme was as follows:

Hymn, "When I Survey The Wondrous Cross;" Scripture Reading, by Mrs. Ray Stewart; roll call, "A Scripture verse from the Easter Story;" hymn, "There is a Green Hill Far Away;" reading, "Lending a Hand," by Mrs. Thos. H. McKeown; reading, "Joy Cometh in the Morning," by Mrs. John Stewart; Easter music on the piano, by Mrs. Ellis Jones; reading, "It's Sweet to be Remembered," by Mrs. Chester Melkjohn; Bible contest, by Mrs. Fred McKeown and the Mizpah Benediction.

The collection was taken by little Brian Thomson and lunch was served.

The May meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lily Anderson with Mrs. Sanford Melkjohn as convener. The roll call will be an exchange of flower seeds, roots or slips.

Miss Jayne Gay Elected President Ivanhoe W.I.

The annual meeting of the Ivanhoe branch of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. W. French with 25 persons in attendance.

Mrs. E. McMaster presided and conducted the business. The secretary, Mrs. J. Wright, reported a successful year; various notes and expressions of thanks were read, also a letter from the department requesting dolls to be made for the women's division at the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto.

A reading, given by Miss Edna Tanner, "The Beatitudes of the House Wife," was very humorous and caused much laughter.

The district director announced the district convention to be held May the 31st, at Queensborough.

Mrs. G. Wood led in a sing-song. Mrs. Tanner presented Mrs. G. Cooke, a life membership certificate, in recognition of her much appreciated service from the Women's Institute. A suitable reply was made by the recipient.

Reports of the conveners of the standing committees were read.

Mrs. R. Barnard read the slate of officers for 1954-55. Mrs. W. French took charge of the election of officers, committees and conveners for the coming year, as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. E. McMaster; president, Miss Jayne Gay; 1st vice-president, Mrs. John McInroy; 2nd vice-president, Miss Helen Kerby; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. C. Douglas; district directors, Mrs. E. McMaster and Mrs. W. French; pianists, Mrs. R. Haggerty and Mrs. K. Bray; board of directors, Mrs. P. Downey, Mrs. S. Reid, Mrs. Mac Saries; auditors, Mrs. A. Wood and Mrs. W. Shaw; sick committee, Mrs. G. McInroy, Mrs. J. Wright, Mrs. E. Wood; Agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. John McInroy; Citizenship and education, Mrs. A. Gray; Historical research and current events, Mrs. R. Haggerty and Mrs. W. French; Public relations and community activities, Mrs. H. Benson; Resolutions, Mrs. B. Haggerty; International, Mrs. R. Barnard; Home economics and health, Miss Edna Tanner; Girls' club leaders, Mrs. H. Cook and Mrs. C. Wright; press reporter, Mrs. H. MacMillan; nominating committee, Mrs. R. Barnard, Mrs. B. Haggerty and Mrs. G. Wood.

Mrs. E. McMaster took charge of the installation of officers and expressed thanks to all for co-operation throughout the year. The new president, Miss Gay, tendered thanks to the ladies for appointing her as their president for the coming year.

A social time brought the meeting to a close.

Annual Meeting Rylstone W.I.

The annual meeting of the Rylstone Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon, April 7th in the Sunday School Hall, Zion United Church, Petherick's Corners.

Mrs. Ellis Jones, retiring President, was in charge of the usual business part of the meeting. The roll call was answered by paying fees. The report of the year's work was given by Mrs. Carl Linn and showed a good many worthwhile things accomplished. "Thank you" cards for candy, flowers, etc., were received from Mrs. Murray Heath and her twin sons and Mr. Fred W. Barnum. Quilt blocks left over from the quilt made for the Sweet family have been made into another quilt top. This will be finished at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Spencer some time in the next few weeks.

Reports of Standing Committees were given as follows by the Con-

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Agriculture and Canadian Industries, by Mrs. Fletcher Wildman; Historical Research and Current Events, by Mrs. Murray Melkjohn; Home Economics and Health, by Mrs. Wilfred Spencer; Public Relations and Community Activities, by Mrs. Jack Watson; Resolutions, by Mrs. Caroline Wright; Girls Work, by Mrs. Arthur Brick.

Mrs. Jones then thanked the ladies for their co-operation in the two years she was President and declared the chair vacant. Mrs. Ernest Irwin was chosen to conduct the election of officers for the coming year. A nominating committee consisting of Mrs. Ernest Irwin, Mrs. Murray Melkjohn and Mrs. Lillian Anderson presented a list of officers which met with the approval of the members. No other nominations were made. The following is the list of the officers for 1954-55:

President, Mrs. Wilfred Spencer; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Carl Linn; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Carl Reid; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Watson; Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Roy Fry; District Director, Mrs. Ellis Jones; Alternate Director, Mrs. Fred Barnum; Directors, Mrs. Gerald Petherick and Mrs. Will Morton; Sunshine Committee, Mrs. Stanley Kerr,

Mrs. Lily Anderson and Mrs. Charles Stewart.

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Auditors, Miss Harriet Fry and Mrs. Clair Irwin; Pianist, Mrs. Percy Reid. The new members were called to the front of the hall and the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Caroline Wright (hostess), her daughter and the lunch committee.

A few members brought flower slips for the usual exchange, but it was decided to hold this again at the May meeting.

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HAY AND PASTURE MIXTURES

In Ontario, more acres are devoted to forage crop production — hay, pasture, and silage — than to all other field crops combined. These crops also provide the cheapest source of livestock feed, and as the amount of forage increases in the ration the cost of producing milk, meat, or wool decreases.

Many factors are important in the production of high yields of top quality forage per acre, three of the key ones being the mixture, soil fertility, and management. All three are equally important: a good mixture is superior only when it has adequate fertility available and is properly managed; good fertility increases production most economically when it is combined with a good mixture containing plants capable of making use of the fertility.

Many good hay and pasture mixtures are listed in the 1954 copy of "General Hay and Pasture Mixtures Recommended for Ontario," which is now available to Ontario farmers. It has been prepared by members of the staffs of the Ontario Agricultural College, the Western Ontario Agricultural School, and the Kemptville Agricultural School, and is obtainable at the office of your agricultural representative.

POULTRY BRANCHES IN ONTARIO

Because of heavy demand, the Ontario Agricultural College publication, "Poultry Barbecues in Ontario," which was first issued last fall, has been revised and re-issued.

Chicken broilers are available for barbecuing the year round, and turkey broilers more particularly in the summer and fall. The circular will enable anyone to stage outdoor barbecues in the home garden or backyard, as well as at the many picnic places and beauty spots in Ontario well suited for such events. It lists all the information necessary for the holding of a successful barbecue, including the different types of fireplace or "pit," the use of grids, advice regarding service and supplies, a complete menu, and other data.

It is obtainable now at the office of your agricultural representative.

DAIRY FARMERS TO EXPAND ADVERTISING PROGRAMME

Dairy Farmers of Canada will try for a new record in their 1954 June advertising Set-aside which last year topped \$366,000. Officials of the national producer organization, representing 455,000 farmers, believe that with more promotion effort in Ontario and Quebec, the national fund for advertising, public relations and research can be boosted over the \$400,000 mark. Support for this belief is found in the numerous resolutions presented at recent dairy meetings favoring an increased basis of Set-aside across the country. Most dairy officials give the program considerable credit for Canada's increased per capita consumption of dairy foods in 1953.

In their 1953 report, members of the Dairy Farmers' publicity committee stress the importance of the 1954 Set-aside. They draw attention to the fact that when farm income declines there is a tendency on the part of farmers to increase production to meet their costs which remain at a high level. Almost certainly increased production leads to a surplus of one or

more dairy foods. Advertising, which focuses attention of consumers on the food value and economy of dairy foods, is an important means by which to whittle down surpluses or avoid them entirely.

Because of the record budget in 1953, Dairy Farmers of Canada advertising, public relations and research programme has been extended in 1954. All aspects of the programme are aimed at maintaining Canada as one of the world's top consumers of dairy foods. Only the New Zealanders and the Swedes eat more dairy foods on a per capita basis than do Canadians.

BUY GRASS AND LEGUME SEED EARLY

While Canada harvested a better than average crop last year, export demand has been such that Ontario farmers are advised by the Crops Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture to "shop early" for grass and legume seed.

According to officials of the Crops Branch the demand for Canadian seed from the United States has practically wiped out the so-called Ontario surplus.

"The early shopper, like the early bird, has the advantage of wider selection and better quality," warns the Crops Branch, adding that the old saying may well apply to the small seed situation this year.

While the Canadian crop of Alfalfa, Timothy and Red Clover was better than average, United States yields, particularly of Timothy and Red Clover, were down considerably.

Up to February 1st, exports totalled over 14 million pounds of Alfalfa, Red Clover and Timothy. Based on last year's domestic consumption of these seeds and comparing them with the present visible supply as estimated by the Plant Products Division of the Canada Department of Agriculture, we could be as much as 7½ million pounds short, with the bulk of the shortage occurring in Timothy. This may be partially offset by unknown supplies in growers' hands which may come on the market should seed prices advance. In any case, there is not likely to be any last minute bargains in forage seeds this year.

Seed houses have arranged for reasonable supplies of other forage seeds such as Orchard Brome, Meadow Fescue, Reed Canary, Birdfoot Trefoil and Alsike, but should additional supplies be required these late purchases are likely to be at higher rather than lower prices.

Seed prices generally, with the exception of source items such as Kentucky and Canada Blue Grass, are moderate this year, certainly below the peak prices of 1950 and 1951.

The early shopper for forage seeds this year is assured of a wider range of types and varieties of good quality and germination. The late shopper will have a narrower choice in both variety and quality and quite likely at higher prices.

Scouts Aiding Eskimo Children

Rt. Rev. Donald B. Marsh, Anglican Bishop of the Arctic, who is now on a 16,000-mile flying tour of his vast diocese, is distributing to Eskimo children the first of some 2,500 toys, the gift of Montreal Boy Scouts, who collected and renovated them in their Scout Toy Repair Centre, a year-round operation.

New Drive To Boost U.K. — Canadian Trade

To help provide more dollars with which the United Kingdom could step up its purchases of Canadian products, James S. Duncan, Chairman of the Dollar-Sterling Trade Council and President of Massey-Harris-Ferguson Limited, announced the launching of a new campaign to expand two-way trade between Canada and the United Kingdom.

The Council will make a new appeal to Canadian industry and the Canadian public to purchase a larger share of imports from the United Kingdom instead of from the dollar area. The result will be to expand Canadian exports to the sterling area.

"In view of the improvement in the United Kingdom's financial and trading position," said Mr. Duncan, "we are confident that any expansion of Canadian purchases of British goods will quickly be reflected in an increase of sterling area purchases from Canada at a time when our agricultural producers and other exporting industries are anxiously looking for markets."

Mr. Duncan pointed out that the position today is vastly different from that of 1949 when the Dollar Sterling Trade Board launched a similar campaign. "At that time," he stated, "the United Kingdom's dollar problem was very grave indeed. Her industries, plagued by shortages, production bottlenecks and inflated prices, were finding great difficulty in re-establishing their position in the North American markets. Therefore, our effort to aid the British dollar export drive at that time was essentially a defensive effort. But since that time the U.K. has made great progress toward overcoming her problems. She has controlled her inflation until today British prices are generally competitive. Production has expanded, bottlenecks have been broken, shortages have been alleviated and most British exporters can meet competitive deliveries."

Mr. Duncan stated that Canada has already benefitted from Britain's improved position. "Four years ago, practically all our exports to Britain were under rigid government control and were confined to products that were essential to the U.K. and unavailable from soft currency sources. Today, about 80% of our exports to Britain, mostly agricultural and primary products, enter the British market on a fair competitive basis free of discriminatory restrictions."

Mr. Duncan pointed out that last year Canada exported \$214 million more to Britain than we imported from her. He also noted that we had imported from the U.S. over \$3,229 million worth of goods, more than seven times what we bought from Britain, and our trade deficit with the U.S. exceeded \$766 million. "It seemed obvious," he said, "that it is not in the interest of either Canada or the U.S. that our trade should be so far out of balance."

"Based on last year's trade pattern, if we could transfer only 70% of our imports from the U.S. to the U.K. it would wipe out Britain's trade deficit with us and help the U.K. to remove discriminatory restrictions against Canadian products," Mr. Duncan said. The Council's purpose is to assist in this 7% transfer of imports.

The Rt. Hon. R. A. Butler, Chancellor of the Exchequer, writes to say that — "Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom continues to regard the expansion of the U.K. trade with Canada as one of its primary objectives. The improvement of our unfavourable balance of trade with your country, through the expansion of our imports to you, is an important factor in our overall policy. It not only provides the assurance that we may eventually earn sufficient dollars to import the many things which we require and would like to purchase from you, but should enable us to maintain and increase the part which we are taking in the financing of your capital expansion and development of your natural resources."

I am encouraged by the knowledge that the valuable assistance by your Board is to be continued, and I have every confidence that, under the leadership of Mr. J. S. Duncan, substantial further progress will be made in the development of our mutual trade."

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National Cancer Institute Surveys

It was announced recently by Dr. M. R. McCharles, of Winnipeg, chairman of the National Cancer Institute's Advisory Committee on Records and Statistics, that the Institute has some ten statistical surveys under way at the present time. These are studies to gather information concerning cancer in different sites of the body and among different groups of people.

The surveys include a review of breast cancer, a study of cancer among Indians and a study of the incidence of cancer among certain groups in Quebec. Cancer of the lung is receiving special attention and assistance is being given to one of the provinces in its study of stomach cancer.

Most of these studies are conducted by the Institute's statistician, Dr. A. J. Phillips. They are considered to be of the utmost importance in assessing certain aspects of our present knowledge of cancer and pointing the way

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Easter Services

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associated with the verses, read from their white confirmation testaments. Multi coloured lights shone upon them in the otherwise darkened church.

Readings

The public address system was put to good use when even the most youthful voices were clearly heard throughout the Church. Readings included numbers by Judy Patterson, Sandra Wannamaker, Jean Ann Mayhew, Tinka Visser, Margaret Brooks, Dorothy Johnson, Joan Fraser, Carol Sleeper, Sandra West and Pauline Stewart.

Primary Group

"Easter Gifts," a lovely word picture ministry was presented by Ross Carlisle, Fairlie Warren with wreath of cedar, Douglas Wilkins, carrying Easter flowers; Marilyn Anderson, with hymn book; Kenneth Post, with coins and Hazel Thrasher, who completed the exercise with these lines: "I have no flowers or coins to bring No lovely voice with which to sing And yet for me there is a way In common tasks of everyday My love for Christ I'll daily show By loving service here below."

Beginners

A group of Beginners including Nancy Wilson, Judy Patterson, Jane Bailey, Elaine Vandervoort, Herbie Demorest, Linda Lou Mayhew, Susan West and Marion Warren sweetly

sang, "Robin in The Tree Top" and led by Mary Ellen Warren, repeated an Easter Prayer.

Miss Doreen Thrasher read the Lesson and Gordon Wannamaker operated the public address system. Jean Davidson sang a verse of the Cornish Carol. Other soloists included Patricia Fraser, Dawn Hubel, Carolyn Belcour, Marilyn Rose, Ralph Carlisle, Allyn Warren, Wayne Wannamaker, Peter Kunle, Helen Hawkins, Fairlie Warren, Thelma Stewart, Ross Carlisle and David Bell.

Mr. Geo. Carlisle expressed the thanks of the Church to the Choir and its leader.

Carmel

"Church of the Prophets"

A large congregation gathered for the Easter Service Sunday afternoon at Carmel. The church was beautifully decorated with seasonal flowers including a vase of mayflowers, thoughtfully picked and sent by Mr. Lorne Brooks for the Easter service.

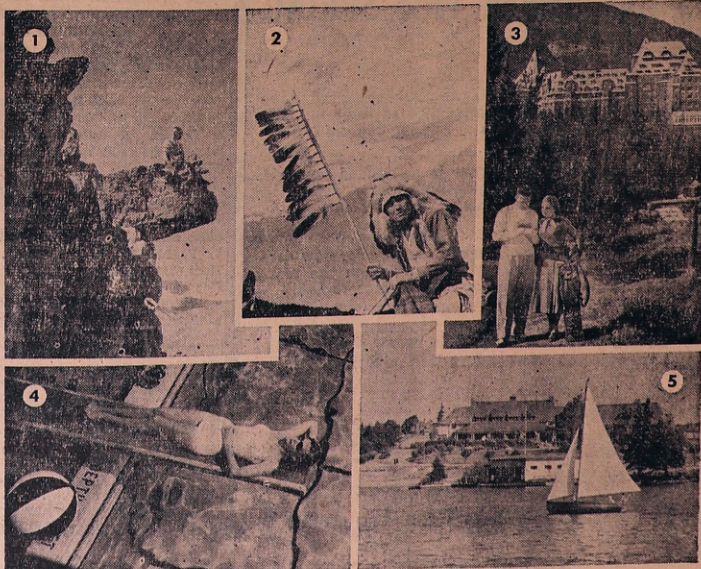
Confirmation

The rite of Confirmation was administered to Robert Edward Neal, Harold Eldon Wood, Larry Gerald Pyear, Sheila Margaret Wood and Barbara Jean Grills. This was followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The Minister was assisted by Rev. W. S. Irwin and Clerk of Session Harry E. Brown.

The Confirmation Testaments were presented by "Squire" Frank Bailey. The Easter Choir under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Pyear sang two splendid numbers, "Jesus Christ is Crucified" and "Lift Up Your Heads."

INVITATION FROM BRAZIL

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neal, of Belleville, were tea guests on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle. Miss Stella Fletcher, of Trenton, was a week-end guest at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and children spent Easter Sunday with his mother, at Shannonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Graham, of Harwood, spent the week-end with Mr.

and Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Dracup and family and Mrs. W. Dracup were dinner guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckett and family.

Mr. Roy Sharp, of Petawawa, spent the week-end at the home of his father, Mr. Clifford Sharp and Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott visited Friday with friends in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chumley and family spent the week-end with relatives and friends in Medina, N.Y.

Mrs. W. Beckett visited Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mr. Carl Linn, Mr. Linn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dean and family, of Thomasburg, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Pauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maidment and Charles, of Port Hope, visited Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Warren and Elaine, of Corbyville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleming, of Madoc; Miss Joyce Fleming, of Kingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holmes, Shirley and Jean, of Queensborough.

Rawdon Township Council Met

Rawdon Township Council met at the town hall, Harold, on Monday, April 5th, with all members present.

Geo. E. Thompson interviewed the Council regarding insurance on Township machinery. Moved by Mumby and seconded by Saries that the insurance be renewed with Mr. Thompson, after making the suggested changes.

Spry and McAdam that relief vouchers for \$34.13 be paid.

Mumby and Saries that relief voucher for the city of Kingston for \$19.46 be paid.

McAdam and Spry that Stirling News-Argus account for \$17.25 for supplies be paid.

Mumby and Saries that W. J. Tanner be appointed Supervisor of Hydro and Telephone lines for the year 1954 for the Township of Rawdon.

Saries and Spry that Hydro account of \$4.05 for the Town Hall be paid. Council will meet next on May 3rd at 1.30 p.m.

W. J. BARLOW, Clerk

Mrs. Robert Philp Hostess River Valley W.M.A.

Mrs. Robert Philp was hostess to the River Valley W.M.A. on April 20 with 19 members and 18 children present. This was children's day and they put on the whole programme.

The President, Mrs. Jack Bush, opened the meeting with the poem, "Jesus Lives." The hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today," was sung, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison.

Mrs. Gerald Brooks was in charge of the program. All sang the hymn, "Birds Are Singing, Woods Are Ringing." Prayer was given by Emmy Zuidema. The Scripture Lesson, "The Easter Story" was read by Joanne Heasman. The Bible Study, "What Is Easter," was given by Mrs. Roy Bush.

Emmy and Louise Zuidema and Ann DeVries sang first in Dutch and then in English "A little seed fell fast asleep," followed by a recitation by Donnie and Alan Carr, "Joyful Easter-tide," solo, "Here comes Peter Cottontail," by Cheryl Utman; solo, "The Farmer in the Dell," by Maria Heasman; solo, "Father We Thank Thee," by Freddie Heasman; reading, "The Hare that laid Easter eggs," by Grace Heasman.

A Life Membership Certificate and pin, the gift of Miss Gladys Bly, was

presented to Mrs. Roy Bush. The presentation of the certificate was made by Mrs. Jack Bush and the presentation of the pin was made by Mrs. Glenn Bush.

The hymn, "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus," was sung and the various secretaries were heard from. Twelve home calls were reported and 2 cards sent.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Carr with Mrs. Glenn Bush in charge of the program. Lunch committee to be Mrs. Ross Bush and Mrs. George Heasman.

There were three new names added to the Roll Call, which makes a total membership of 22. The meeting closed by singing the Centennial Theme Song, "Near to the Heart of God" and the benediction.

Mrs. Glenn Bush voiced appreciation to hostess for the use of her home, to program convener for the delightful program and to the lunch committee for the delicious lunch served.

Local and Personal

(continued from page one)

and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins spent Sunday and Monday in Ottawa.

Mrs. M. J. Barrie and daughters spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Woodbeck, Bloomfield.

Mrs. Gordon Bailey and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead spent today (Thursday) in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Heath and Mr. Garnet Heath, of Springbrook, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wanamaker, Peterborough, were Easter guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wanamaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gibbons, of Stratford, were Easter week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGee.

Miss Marilyn J. Eggleton, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eggleton.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Hay and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutherford, of Campbellford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linn and son, Gordon, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. C. F. Linn and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hough.

Capt. A. R. Gould and children, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gould, River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost, of Clinton, were week-end guests of Mrs. Chas. Faires, Sr. Mrs. Faires accompanied them on their return home.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Eggleton and Brian, Hamilton, were Easter guests of the former's mother, Mrs. N. E. Eggleton.

Mrs. Robert Kerr returned home Tuesday after spending the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Black, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elliott, of Penetang, are spending the Easter holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott.

Mrs. Perry Bronson spent Monday with Mrs. Geo. Reddick, of Belleville.

Mrs. Janet Shaw, of Toronto, spent the Easter holidays, guest of Mrs. B. R. Searles, Oak Hill Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good and Janet Ann were in Toronto for a few days this week, where Mr. Good attended the Head Masters Association section of the O.E.A.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lloyd and baby and Mrs. D. Prince and Miss Nancy Prince, of Toronto, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Stapley.

Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox were Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDonald and baby, of Stockdale; Miss Doreen Fox, of Belleville, and Mr. Bev. Hackett, of Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods and children, of Oshawa, and Mr. and Mrs.

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Carved Oak Eagle LECTERN Dedicated — Badges Presented — Brownies and Scouts

On Sunday at 11.00 a.m. in St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, the local Scouts, Guides, Brownies and Cubs, with their leaders, joined in the regular morning service. A large congregation was present.

The colours were received by the Rector and placed in the Chancel, after which the National Anthem was sung. The Lessons were read by Marjorie McArthur and Douglas Harding. The Rector preached on the subject of "Courage," relating it to the life of St. George. The choir sang the Easter Anthem, "He Is Risen," with the soprano part taken by Mrs. B. Woodbeck and soprano and alto duet by Mrs. B. Glendinning and Mrs. B. Woodbeck.

Religion and Life Badges were presented to Barbara Woodbeck, Marjorie McArthur, Victoria Armstrong and Lois Vardy. Scout Doug Harding also received his Religion and Life badge. Martin Secker was presented with the certificate of a Queen Scout.

The beautiful flowers on the altar and Easter lily and plant were presented by the Chancel Guild and by the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow in their honour.

Lectern Dedicated

A beautiful carved oak Eagle Lectern was dedicated by the Rector. This is the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow in honour of their grandchildren, and placed in the church on April 8th, it being the fortieth anniversary of their wedding. During the dedication ceremony Brahms' Lullaby was played by Miss Ruth Mumby, organist of St. John's.

District Rebekah Meeting At Madoc

Those attending the meeting of the District Association of the Rebekah Order held at Madoc on Friday, April 23rd were Mrs. R. B. Duffin, Mrs. G. Bradshaw, Mrs. J. L. Good, Mrs. G. Megginson, Miss Gena Spry and Mrs. Earl Fox, D.D.P.

Shower Held For Bride-To-Be

On Wednesday evening of last week about thirty girl friends of Miss Barbara Bateman met at the home of Mrs. H. Mumby to honour Barbara prior to her marriage on Saturday last. The evening was spent in games and contests and the making of a bride's cook book. The following address was read by Miss Ruth Leonard:

Dear Barbara:

Tonight we have gathered to honour you prior to your marriage.

We have known you since school days in the Bateman Settlement and your C.G.I.T. days in our Springbrook group. During your employment at Mumby's Store, we came to know you even better and appreciated your sunny disposition. When you departed for Toronto you were missed by the Choir, Sunday School and the community.

But we are glad that you have returned home to be married and have thus given us the opportunity to present you with these gifts as a token of your affection.

Signed — Your girl friends at Springbrook.

Barbara was presented with a white chenille bedspread, a pair of sheets and cutwork pillow cases from the girls, for which she voiced her sincere thanks.

A social hour brought a pleasant evening to a close.

Ladies Energetic Bowling League

Mrs. Isabel McIntosh was the high bowler in the last meeting of the Ladies' Energetic Bowling League at the local Bowl-O-Drome with a single of 219 and a triple of 550.

Has Heart Attack

Stirling and district friends of Mr. Ed. Montgomery, Foxboro, will regret to learn that he suffered a slight heart attack at his home Tuesday evening, April 27th, and will be confined to his home for a few days.

Visit Havelock

Scout Leaders Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irish paid a visit to the Havelock Boy Scout Troop Friday evening, April 23rd. Mr. Irish gave a very interesting talk on "Community Good Turns" and showed the boys how to make rope. Havelock Troop has 16 boys and Mr. Bob Watson is Scoutmaster.

Public School Board Monday

Members of Stirling Public School Board met in regular monthly session on Monday night, with Chairman W. H. Donnan presiding and Messrs. R. A. Patterson, R. E. Fox, E. D. Ketcheson and C. E. West supporting him.

E. D. Ketcheson, chairman of the property committee, reported on the erection of the bicycle rack and a tool board and the purchase of several tools needed in the operation of the school.

Communications were tabled from the teachers respecting re-employment for the coming year and the teachers' committee was authorized to interview the teachers.

The following accounts were approved for payment:

Mrs. F. Long	\$39.00
Mrs. C. A. Wells	18.00
J. C. McGee	56.32
Public Utilities	32.50
J. McCaughen	39.50
Armstrong & Son	92.10
D. Sine	30.00
Stirling Wholesale	11.60
C. E. West	11.60

Delegates From Hastings Attend Jr. Farmer Conference

Some twenty delegates from Hastings County attended the Junior Farmer Conference and annual meeting held at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week. The Conference opened Sunday night with an undenominational church service, with approximately seven hundred in attendance.

County Director

During the sessions Robert Burkitt, of Frankford, was elected as Hastings County Director on the Provincial executive.

Among those attending from Hastings County were J. A. Francis, Assistant Agricultural Representative; Grant Richardson, President County Association; Ralph Swan, Vice-Pres. County Assoc.; Kathleen Homan, Secretary County Assoc.; Marlene Moorcroft, Treasurer, County Association; Roberta Sager, Patricia Moore, Glen Franks, Madeline Wheeler, Doreen Lynn, Ross Bateman, Barbara Dodds, Donna Ray, Winfield Harder, George Frost, Mona Swan, Ruth McMullen, Arthur Marshall, Dale Balcanquell, Allen Lott, Jack Weese and A. McCambridge.

SCOUT LEADERS AT CONFERENCE IN TRENTON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irish, Mrs. Hilda Ray, Mrs. Verna Woodbeck, Mr. Frank Harding and Mr. Ralph Andrews attended the Western Region Conference for Group Committee Men and Scout and Cub Leaders in Trenton on Saturday.

Mr. R. Taylor, Executive Assistant from Ontario Headquarters, gave a very interesting talk on "Leading the Boys" and Mr. G. Purkie, Assistant Executive Commissioner of Training, spoke on "Leadership Training."

The Conference opened with the keynote address by Mr. A. Lewis, D.C., of Belleville. Cub and Scout Leaders then went to different rooms where sessions were held.

A Conference Dinner was held in Canterbury Hall at 6.30 p.m. The guest speaker was Mr. F. Finlay, Chief Executive Commissioner for Canada, who gave a very interesting talk on Scouting. The Conference closed and everyone felt that it was the best Conference ever held.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowan, of Peterborough, and son Ivan, spent last Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. W. H. V. Walker.

Cannifton Pastoral Charge Visits St. Paul's For Centennial Service

Centennial Year was marked at St. Paul's by the fraternal visit last Sunday of the Cannifton Pastoral Charge. Rev. L. S. Throop their Minister, who is also Chairman of the Belleville Presbytery, preached from Matthew 16:24. He brought greetings not only from the Cannifton Pastoral Charge but also from the Presbytery to St. Paul's. His sermon made a strong appeal to both adults and youth to practise Christian discipline. Age often makes it hard for youth, he asserted.

Pleads for Unborn

In a fervent appeal for Christian living he urged abstention from: (1) Nights of dissipation and carousal; (2) Flak parties; (3) The dirty story teller and every demoralizing association. He commended clean recreation with a 12 p.m. deadline in the interest of the unborn generation as well as participants.

Large Choir

A composite choir under the devoted direction of Mrs. W. H. Farnham sang "Song of Praise" and "Near to the Heart of God." Mr. Bruce Martin (bass) ably interpreted "The Children's Friend." The choir is a credit to the Cannifton area.

Mr. Geo. Carlisle expressed the thanks of the congregation to the visiting minister and choir who were supported by many friends.

Fairy Cross

Presentation

Warden Fred Mitchell presented Mrs. Percy MacMullen with a "fairy stone cross" in recognition of her fine work as a church leader, newspaper reporter and special correspondent of Centennial Year. A special tribute was paid to her efforts in organizing the Baptist Memorial Service held at Mount Pleasant (Hubble Hill) last June.

After Meeting

A social hour was enjoyed by a large company in the Sunday School Hall after the service when many visitors and local celebrities made brief addresses. Mr. Throop expressed thanks on behalf of all for the splendid refreshments served by the Woman's Association. President, Mrs. Edwin Warren made an appropriate acknowledgment. The meeting closed with the Cannifton theme song, "Blest be the tie that binds" and the benediction by Rev. W. S. Irwin.

PAST NOBLE GRANDS' CLUB

The April meeting of the Past Noble Grands Club was held at the home of Mrs. Ethel Duffin on Thursday the 22nd, with fourteen members in attendance.

A letter from Miss Evelyn Bailey was read inviting the club to Peterborough for the May meeting. The invitation was accepted, the meeting to be Friday, May 21st. Mrs. Ethel Duffin and Mrs. Edith Utman will act as a programme committee.

Mrs. Florence Dafeo and Mrs. Laura Shortt thanked the club for cards of sympathy sent them.

Miss Gena Spry gave a reading sent by Evelyn Bailey concerning the work of other clubs. At the close of the meeting some time was spent cutting quilt blocks, after which a bounteous pot luck supper was served.

Miss Gena Spry moved a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Duffin for the use of her home and hospitality.

Has Operation

Friends of Mrs. Fred Bateman will regret to learn that she underwent an operation in Belleville General Hospital Tuesday morning. The latest report is that she is progressing favourably.

Local and Personal

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. H. Beatty is very ill at her home.

Friends of Mrs. Russell Rupert will regret to learn that she was taken to Belleville Hospital on Friday last.

Mrs. Janet Utman spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Couch, Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conley spent Sunday in Madoc, guests of Miss Olive Ashe.

Mrs. Jack Bailey, of Kingsville, was renewing acquaintances in town on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliott attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. Wm. Elliott, held at Dresden, Ont., on Sunday.

Barbara Irene Bateman Wed William George Amm at Springbrook

Potted ferns, spring flowers and the soft glow of candlelight, formed a lovely setting for the double ring ceremony held in Springbrook Church on Saturday evening, April 24th at 7 o'clock when the Minister, Rev. H. E. Beare, united in marriage Barbara Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Bateman, Springbrook, to Mr. William George Amm, of New Toronto.

Mrs. John McKeown played the traditional wedding music and accompanied the soloist, Miss Barbara Meiklejohn, Marmora, who sang, "The Lord's Prayer" preceding the ceremony and "I'll Walk Beside You" during the signing of the register.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was radiant in a strapless gown of white chantilly lace over satin, ballerina length fashioned with a matching bolero with long sleeves ending in points over the hands. Her finger-tip veil of tulle illusion was caught to a beaded head-dress and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses.

Attending the bride were her two sisters, Miss Marilyn Bateman as maid of honour, wore a ballerina length gown of orchid nylon bengaline designed with short sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. Her head-dress was of orchid net and she carried a nose-

Evergreen Factory Opens Monday

On Monday next the Evergreen Cheese Factory will open for the current season, according to an announcement by Philip Carr, president of the company. Ernest Reid will again be the cheesemaker.

W. I. Members Tour Plants

Members of Stirling Women's Institute are making a tour of the Coca-Cola plant and Lloyd's Cleaners, of Belleville, today (Thursday). Transportation to the city was by chartered bus.

Attend Reception

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins and Mrs. W. T. Elliott attended a reception for Mrs. Evelyn Hadley, Grand Warden of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, O.E.S., held in Trenton on Monday night.

Merrie Bowlers Enjoy Social Evening

The Merrie Bowlers enjoyed a social evening at the home of Mrs. Vincent Farrell on Wednesday, April 21st. Court Whist was played, after which a dainty lunch was served. Prizes for the season's bowling were distributed and the new executive for the coming year elected as follows:

President — Barbara Noble
Secretary — Betty Carr
Treasurer — Helen Kerby

Captains — Eva Christie, Queenie Farrell, Nora Scott and Kay Conley.

The play-offs were won by Ellen Webber's "Amazons," while Verna Woodbeck's "Smilers" led the league at the end of the regular schedule. The high average score for the year was won by Verna Woodbeck with 179; high triple, by Ethel Mace, 689; high single, by Pearl Fraser, 322; high single for spares, Dorothy Whitman, 282; high triple for spares, Kay Pryor, 542.

High single for play-offs, Barbara Noble, 292; high triple, Betty Carr, 557.

Evelyn Burgess voiced appreciation to the hostess for the use of her home.

Honoured On 80th Anniversary

Mrs. Walter Dracup, Wellman's, Recipient of Many Gifts — Fine Programme

The home of Mrs. Walter Dracup and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Dracup was the scene of a happy family gathering on the evening of April 24th, when Mrs. Walter Dracup celebrated her eightieth birthday anniversary. There were forty present including guests from Lakefield, Peterborough, Trenton, Moira and Wellman's.

Rev. R. R. Bonsteel took charge of the programme which opened with a duet by Mr. and Mrs. George Watson. Mrs. Gordon Foster and Mrs. Fred Beckett also sang a duet. Music on the banjo and piano was contributed by Omar Dracup and Mrs. Fred Beckett. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Foster played several selections on the mouth organ and piano. Miss Carol Beckett and her mother delighted with a piano duet and Miss Mary Dracup sang a birthday song. The programme closed with a contest conducted by Miss Annie Dracup.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Omar Dracup, Mrs. Gordon Foster and Mrs. Fred Beckett with Misses Annie and Margaret Dracup acting as waitresses. The highlight of the lunch was a beautifully decorated birthday cake, which Mrs. Beckett carried in for her mother to cut.

Mrs. Dracup was the recipient of many lovely gifts and thoroughly enjoyed the whole evening.

Local and Personal

Mrs. E. J. Wescott, Brooklin, Ont., and Mrs. W. Hutcheon, Burnbrae, are guests this week of Mrs. F. Thrasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott and Sharon spent Friday, guests of Rev. and Mrs. L. Shorten, Peterborough.

Mrs. Everett Cooke, Henry St., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, of Belleville, for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harvey, of Marmora; Mr. Percy Caverley and Mrs. Hearn, of Madoc, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fanning.

Friends of Mrs. Kirk Moran, of Frankford, will be pleased to learn (Continued on Page Eight)

- COMING EVENTS -

DANCE, AUSPICES HASTINGS CO. Junior Farmers, Wednesday, May 5th, at Stirling Community Hall. Don Johnson's Orchestra. Admission 75c. 20-2

DANCE, TOWN HALL, IVANHOE, Friday, April 30th, auspices St. James Church, Stirling. Music by the Madoc Music Maker's Orch. Dancing 9 to 1 a.m. Admission 75c each. Refreshments. 21-1

VARIETY SHOW AND PIE SOCIAL, sponsored by Rawdon Y.P.U., at Mount Pleasant Hall on Thursday evening, May 6th at 8.15 p.m., D.S.T. Admission 50c and 25c. 21-1p

MEETING OF STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, to discuss plans for the coming season, will be held at the home of J. B. Belshaw, on Monday, May 3rd, at 8 p.m. sharp. 21-1

DANCE AT MARMORA TOWN HALL sponsored by the Marmora Agricultural Society, on May 7th; round and square dancing. Music by Archer's Orchestra. Lunch served. Admission 50c. 21-1

DANCING 9 P.M. TO 1 A.M. EVERY Friday at Edgewater Park, Campbellford. Round and Square dancing. The latest in modern and old time. Jack McCaughen and the Trent Valley Ramblers. Songs, requests, fun and prizes. Refreshment booth. Admission 50 cents. 12-1f

Centennial Year Services, at St. Paul's United Church, Stirling

SUNDAY, MAY 2nd — 11 a.m. Meet and hear our "Veterans of the Cross" Revs. J. F. Everson J. W. Flatt, W. R. Merrick, A. C. McCallum and H. G. Steers

SUNDAY, MAY 9th — 11 a.m. Great Mother's Day Service. Plan to worship with mother or in her sainted memory — No evening services these two Sundays. Everybody welcome

Urge Buyers To Favour Home Goods

It is to the benefit of every Canadian to purchase, whenever possible, goods manufactured by Canadian workmanship, the executive council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association said in Hamilton.

The council maintained that, in view of the serious position in which some Canadian companies find themselves, the association should renew its efforts in the "Produced in Canada" programme. The sale of Canadian goods in increasing quantities was, it was held, the best guarantee of a high level of employment for Canadian workmen and, consequently, the best antidote against unemployment.

Furthermore, competition with some imported goods was seriously weighted against Canadian producers in the matter of retail price and, since export selling was very difficult for a number of reasons, additional importance was put upon assuring the domestic market.

The executive council laid stress upon the necessity of urging purchasers of Canadian-made goods on a basis of value, not sentiment — that Canadian products were just as good value for money as imported goods, offered prompt service and easy adjustments.

On the matter of seasonal unemployment, the council stated that, in manufacturing, there had been a great change in recent years in the nature of seasonal unemployment. Many industries, in which there used to be a

good deal of seasonal unemployment, had reorganized production so as to eliminate most of it and there was reason to believe that this movement was spreading throughout the manufacturing industry.

In order that the clearest possible picture of the unemployment situation might be obtained, the council recommended that unemployment figures which are published should show only persons who are unemployed and available for work, eliminating the many people who actually have jobs but are seeking to improve their position.

Harry M. Moore Former Trenton Editor Heads OVBA

For the fifth successive year, Harry M. Moore, of Pembroke, former editor and publisher of the Trenton Courier-Advocate, has been unanimously chosen as president of the Ottawa Valley Baseball Association, an organization having control over several leagues.

Since his retirement from newspaper ownership, Harry has devoted his time and energy to the development of baseball in the Upper Canada Valley and covers thousands of miles each year carrying out his duties. His efforts have borne fruit and the Ottawa Valley today is one of the best organized districts for amateur baseball in the Province.

He also writes sports and other comments for the Eganville Leader and needless to say his column is one of the most widely read in that part of the Province.

Congratulations Harry and that you may long be spared to carry on the good work is the sincere wish of a host of friends in Stirling and the Bay of Quinte district.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. WILLIAM G. KETCHESON

In failing health for many years, Mrs. Hanna Elizabeth Ketcheson, wife of Lt. Col. William Ketcheson, 5th Concession Sidney Township, died in Kingston Hospital early Saturday. She was in her 91st year.

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Milton Griffen, Mrs. Ketcheson was born in Sidney Township and had lived there all her life. She was a member of Wallbridge United Church and was a life member of the Women's Missionary Society and Women's Institute. When health permitted she was active in the Sunday School and Church work.

Surviving besides her husband is one son, George Milton Ketcheson, of Saskatoon. One son, Lawrence, and one daughter, Hetty, predeceased her. There are six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Cancer Institute Announces Grants

Dr. Jean Bouchard, of Montreal, president of the National Cancer Institute of Canada, announced that the Institute will provide grants-in-aid for cancer research to \$395,105. Another \$41,475 will be used to provide fellowships to advance the training of radiation physicists and other cancer specialists.

The 57 grantees receiving assistance are working in 14 different universities and research centres in nine Canadian Provinces. Dr. Bouchard pointed out. The grants range in size from \$500 for small projects to \$30,000 for extensive research. "We are trying to follow up every possible angle to find the cause and a cure for cancer," Mr. Bouchard said.

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He explained further that strides forward have been made in Canadian cancer research in the past ten years, but that it is "an expensive business."

"There is always the danger of losing our best men to other countries where they can earn more money. Just recently one of our important men was offered more than twice as much as he can earn here to become director of a research center across the border. But we need men like him for directors in our own research program."

The Institute's research advisory group which includes top research men from our universities, carefully assesses every request for aid before a grant is made. They also consult with leading research authorities in the U.S. and Britain before deciding on the merits of a project.

The National Cancer Institute of Canada receives support from the provincial and dominion governments and from the Canadian Cancer Society. Dr. Bouchard explained that this year it will be necessary to ask the Canadian Cancer Society for more than ever before. "Canadian Cancer research depends to a large extent upon the voluntary contributions collected during the Cancer Campaign," he said.

solicit money, it was deemed wiser to give them something to sell. We do not teach these children to expect something for nothing. They are encouraged to work for everything they get.

Barker's Biscuit Company of Toronto, sent the cookies, wrapped in two dozen boxes. The Guides, as a Company, pay 28 cent a box and sell them to you at 35 cents. Their profit is small, so when placing your order with the Guide who calls upon you, won't you please remember that they need to sell a great number of boxes in order to make any amount.

Many organizations were contacted in hope that as an organization they would donate to this cause. It is not too late to do this. A special envelope was enclosed for this purpose.

The money raised from this project is to be equally divided between the Guides and Brownies, with the Guides undertaking the work for their smaller sisters. They would like to make it clear that money raised under these circumstances is never used, but for the betterment of the Company. A project such as the Easter Lily placed in every church, represented by the Company, was completely undertaken by each Patrol. They earned this money themselves and used it for this project.

Many larger Companies have failed in their Cookie Day effort, but we are hoping that Stirling will come out on top. So please call any Guide or Guider if you have not been canvassed or you have not yet placed your order, or you feel that you can enlarge your present order. Would those organizations who were contacted make a special effort to send a small donation to help support the Guides and Brownies of Stirling.

Girl Guide Cookie Day

Perhaps you are wondering, just what is "Cookie Day." It is similar to "Apple Day," held annually by the Boy Scouts to procure funds with which to successfully run their organization.

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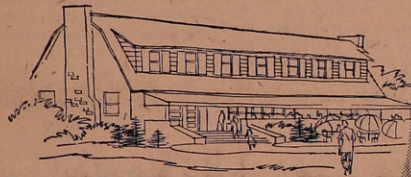
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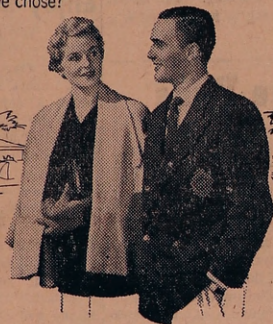
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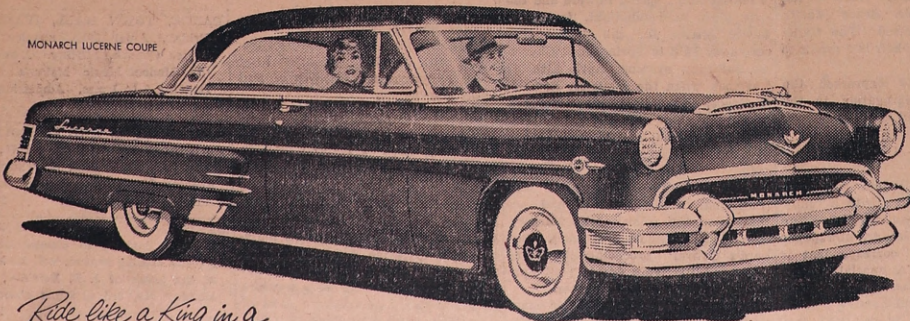
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St. Paul's—Carmel News Items

(By Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E.)

Congratulations to the electors of Sidney on the fine results achieved in the vote last Wednesday. It should hearten the temperance folk to attack "wet" areas in a major plan to mop up "wet" Ontario.

Although the polling sub-divisions in which RCAF personnel did not maintain the "dry" majority of other parts of the Township the vote was tangible evidence that our service men are not a bunch of "wets" as some would suggest. It is well known that if any class should be total abstainers it should be those who have to do with navigation through the air.

Our tribute to the splendid men who left their farms for the day to serve in polling booths without pay; also to the officers of the Citizens' Committee of Sidney Township and the splendid assistance of the Ontario Temperance Federation.

Signs

The Marsh Hill and Foxboro Churches are commended for their attractive church signs.

Ministers Honoured

All living ministers of the Olde Darwenport United Church, Toronto, will be honoured next Sunday when a feature of the Church Anniversary will be the placing of their names on the Endowment Memorial Directory through special gifts raised by the congregation. The name of the Minister of St. Paul's, Stirling, will be included in those thus honoured.

Veterans of the Cross

Centennial Year will be marked next

Sunday by the presence of a number of the "V.C.'s" of the church, when a "Veteran of the Cross" service will be held at St. Paul's at 11 a.m. Among those who will take part in this historic service are Revends Jas. W. Flatt, W. R. Merrick, A. C. McCallum, H. G. Steers and J. F. Everson. It is expected that with their wives or next of kin, these visitors will be dinner guests of members of St. Paul's.

At Carmel

Owing to the afternoon departure of Rev. and Mrs. Baker for the special evening service in Toronto, Rev. W. S. Irwin will conduct the afternoon service at Carmel.

The Annual Young Adult Service at Carmel has been moved from May 9th to May 30th. Rev. W. E. G. Dovey, of Sidney, will be the guest speaker and Wellman's will provide the guest choir.

Mother's Day

Special Endowment Fund Gifts and a new revised version of the Bible have been advised already as gifts for Mother's Day at St. Paul's. It will greatly assist if all persons will advise the Clerk Session or Minister of special gifts of cash, hymn books, flowers or other articles for Mother's Day Services.

Sidney 9th Concession

Mr. Chas. H. Brooks, of Eldorado, has listed the following as residents of the Ninth Concession of Sidney for the period 1875 - 1900:

Gore, Peter Wescott, E. Wilcox; Lot 2, J. B. Weaver, N. J. Albert Weaver, S. J.; Lot 3, E. J. and S. W. J. John and Benjamin Abbott; Lot 4, W. J. J. and George Richardson; Lot 4, E. J. J. and George Richardson; Lot 5, S. Lawrence, Albert Hagerman; Lot 6, N. W. J. Richard

Bamber, Alan Maines; Lot 6, N. E. J. Aaron White; Lot 7, part S. J. Mark Anderson (school teacher); Lot 7, part S. J. David Williams, Geo. Groves, R. Wagar; Lot 8, N. J. J. W. Brooks, C. H. Brooks; Lot 8, S. J. (part), John Moines, J. Donohoe, W. A. McKee; Lot 8, S. part, G. T. Iveson (Postmaster), D. McMarchy; Lot 9, Pomeroy, Perry, Stinson, Cummings, Horton, Conley, Miller, Keires, Lakes, Winsor, Dostater; Lot 9, S. E. J. Bunce (foundryman), Winter, Keating; Lot 9, S. W. J. W. McLaughlin (blacksmith); Lot 10, Murphy, McMurchy, Fleming, Goldsmith; Lot 13, Wm. Carlisle purchased from R. Carr.

Mr. Brooks advises that the old stone house on the South end of Lot 10 was the first stone house built west of Kingston and was a fort for the fur company.

U.C. Observer

Return post cards have been sent to all recipients of the Observer. These should be signed and returned at once.

Township Taxes

While a Township possibly has little choice in the matter of petitions, for a liquor vote, if supported by the required number of signatures, it might be well now in the light of the Sidney experience to require petitioners to pay the costs of such elections.

Presbytery and Conference

The Belleville Presbytery will honour our Centennial Year by meeting at St. Paul's, Tuesday, May 4th. The W.A. will serve the Centennial Year meal at noon. Citizens desiring to sit in with the Presbytery at dinner may do so by making reservations with the W.A.

The Bay of Quinte Conference of the United Church of Canada will meet in Bridge St. Church, Belleville, June 8th to 11th. Stirling is asked to billet twenty-five delegates for bed and breakfast.

The Old Elm Tree

A senior pupil of Ridge Road S.S. No. 1 Rawdon, has written the following lines relative to the old elm tree that stood near the bridge on Front Street:

An old elm tree stood tall and thick,
Its branches were spread o'er
Rawdon Creek;

Then one day the old tree died
Then it was cut and laid aside.

No longer could the tree be seen
As it once stood beside the old mill stream.

Flowers

The finest collection of house plants in gorgeous bloom was sent to the church last Sunday by Mrs. Charles Conley. At least a dozen blooming plants filled the altar area with beauty and fragrance.

A memorial basket graced the Holy Table thoughtfully sent by loved ones of the late Mrs. Clayton Tucker.

At Carmel hundreds of Mayflowers graced the pulpit.

At St. Paul's the flowers were tastefully arranged by Mrs. W. T. Elliott; at Carmel by Mrs. Lorne Brooks.

Historic Baptism

Elizabeth Brown Baker, infant daughter of Dr. Earle Franklin William Baker and his wife, Georgina Brown Gray, born January 8 at Toronto, granddaughter of Rev. Alexander Earle Baker and his wife Muriel Susannah Irwin, great granddaughter of Rev. William Snider Irwin, was dedicated in Baptism with all the aforementioned present at St. Paul's last Sunday morning. Grandfather and great grandfather officiated.

It is further noted that Thomas Sinclair Baker, great grandfather of Elizabeth was born in Stirling in 1855 and her great great grandfather Thomas Sinclair Baker is buried in Stirling Cemetery where the stone marking his grave is carved with these lines:

"The sweet remembrance of the just
Is cherished when they rest in dust."

Birthdays

The birthday of Connie Tucker was recognized at St. Paul's and of Mr. Archie Bailey and Miss Doris Grills at Carmel last Sunday.

Music

Master Fred Heasman and his sister, Miss Grace Heasman, were the special soloists at St. Paul's last Sunday.

Stirling Festival

The Festival Committee met at the home of Mrs. Walter T. Elliott and planned for the 1954 Festival at St. Paul's May 31st and June 1st. There are over 200 entries. Donations from patrons will be welcomed.

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Carmel W.A.

Mrs. Everett Grills was hostess for the Carmel Women's Association meeting in the Jubilee Hall on Thursday afternoon, April 15th. The President, Mrs. Joe Grills, was in charge of the devotional and business periods.

Plans were made for catering for a dinner on May 11th, when the annual meeting of the Bay of Quinte Conference W.A. will be held in the church.

Mrs. Harry Brooks, as programme reviewer, presented the programme. Mrs. Gerald Clancy played two piano numbers. Mrs. Clifford Clancy, Wellman's, was the guest speaker. She portrayed a trip she and her husband had taken in September. Using a map of Canada, Mrs. Clancy described the scenery, crops and travel accommodations in a pleasing and educational manner from her home to the Rocky

Mountains via Sault Ste. Marie, Duluth and Winnipeg.

Mrs. Archie Bailey conducted a contest. Lunch was served and a vote of thanks tendered the hostess and the guests.

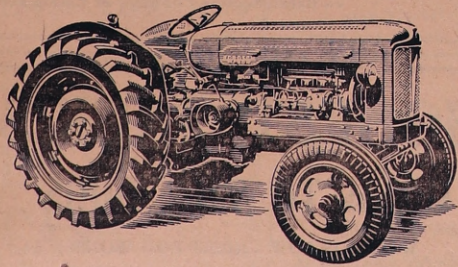
2000 Pounds Butter Stolen Madoc Creamery

Two thousand pounds of butter valued at approximately \$1,200 was stolen from the Madoc Creamery last week. The creamery is owned by Miss Olive Ashe.

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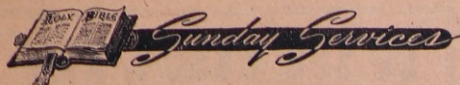
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Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Church School. "Some Practical Lessons from the Resurrection."

West Huntingdon

2.00 p.m.—Church School
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service
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EASTER II

St. John's, Stirling

10.00 a.m.—Church School

11.00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist

May 9th — Confirmation Trinity Church, Frankford, 11.00 a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE

Rev. A. E. Baker, U.E., Minister

St. Paul's

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

11.00 a.m.—Centennial Year

"Veterans of the Cross Service"

— No evening service —

Carmel

2.00 p.m.—Sunday School

3.00 p.m.—Rev. W. S. Irwin

Visitors cordially invited to these services.

Rawdon Circuit UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. R. R. Bonsteel, Minister

11.00 a.m.—Mount Pleasant

2.30 p.m.—Wellman's

7.30 p.m.—Bethel

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, May 2nd, 1954

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper

2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q

7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

SPEAKER

O. F. GALL, of Chicago

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer
and Bible Study

STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

— SERVICES —

SUNDAY — 3.00 p.m.

THURSDAY — 8.00 p.m.

To all who are interested in a full gospel message, we invite you to join us in this message.

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RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



Thursday, May 6th, 2 p.m. Hostess Mrs. Murney Scott, 218 Front Street West. Roll call, exchange of plants and bulbs. Synopsis of W.I. Movement in England, by Mrs. Percy MacMullen. Programme in charge of Miss Marion Carlisle.

Mount Pleasant

Mission Band

Mount Pleasant Sunbeam Mission Band convened at the Church Sunday morning and opened with the Mission Band Hymn and Purpose. Twenty members answered the roll call with about a dozen adult visitors in attendance. Gail Jeffs presided and Wayne Steacy read the Bible Lesson. Ina Scott presided at the piano. The offering was gathered by Ralph Reid and Calvin Sharp and dedicated by Ed. Richardson. The Easter Thank-Offering was \$4.20 and the usual offering \$1.08. Miss Ruth Linn outlined the study chapter entitled, "The Fourth Saturday." Mrs. Frank Jeffs gave an Easter Story. Gail Scott contributed a piano solo.

Mr. Fred Horst spent last week at

Belleville Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Bonsteel recently entertained Miss Enid Askin, of Hamilton, and Mrs. Kenneth Reeb-er, of Simcoe.

Linda Potts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Potts, who has been in the Belleville Hospital, expects to return home at the end of this week.

Rawdon Y.P.U. entertained Seymour Y.P.U. at Mount Pleasant Church Hall on Thursday evening. Mr. Ralph Johnson conducted the worship and Seymour Y.P.U. provided the program. Rev. R. R. Bonsteel and Rev. Gordon Whitehorn each spoke briefly. Refreshments were served at the close.

Mrs. Kenneth Menzies, of Warkworth, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies.

Miss Cheryl Watson, Trenton, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sables.

On Sunday evening at Mount Pleasant Rev. R. R. Bonsteel presented an interesting film strip entitled "Our Father's Business" in place of the usual sermon. This covered all phases of the various departments of work of the United Church of Canada and was very interesting.

The Northern Lights were very brilliant on Sunday evening, April 25th, so we may expect more cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sables attended the wedding of the former's niece, Mary Elliott and Robert Flood at the Frankford Full Gospel Tabernacle on Saturday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Sables spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Watson at Trenton.

Your correspondent was pleasantly surprised on Sunday evening at St. Paul's United Church when Rev. A. E. Baker eulogized her work as a newspaper reporter and asked Warden Fred Mitchell to make the presentation of a Fairy Cross. We hope we are worthy of the honour and we deeply appreciate the recognition of our efforts to carry this work as a family tradition, dating from our great grandfather the late Philo White.

Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dickens and family, of Belleville, were tea guests on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Douglas and family, of White Lake, were tea guests on Sunday with Mrs. Paul Sharp.

Miss Marlene Clapp, of Belleville, visited last week with Miss Yvonne King.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham, Eleanor and Freda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCracken, of Rose-neath.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dickens and Sharon, at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Althouse, of Peterborough, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham in the evening.

Rylstone

Misses Blanche and Cora Reid along with Eleanor Brown and Dorothy Runnalls, of Stirling, spent last week-end in Syracuse.

The 9th Line School has been insulated with rock wool during the Easter holidays.

Stewart Holland, Havelock, spent a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and cousins, Glenn and Marilyn Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Green, of Campbellford, were recent guests at the home of her father, Mr. Mack Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bryson and family, of Hamilton, have taken up residence in our community and the children are attending the Union School at Rylstone.

Rylstone Cheese and Butter Co. commenced operations for the season on Thursday, April 22nd, with Murray Heath as cheesemaker and Doug Reid of Minto, as assistant.

Elmer Murray, of Oshawa, was a recent visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. Will Morton, her husband, and family.

Barbara Mumby, of Campbellford, spent a few days last week at the home of her grandfather, Mr. Robert Mumby.

Murray Heath has taken over the management of the farm owned by his father, Mr. Everett Heath.

Mrs. Frank Sheppard, of Peterboro, and Mrs. Malin Jones were Tuesday supper guests at the home of their brother, Lindsay Finch, his wife, and family.

Church service at Rylstone United Church has been changed for the summer to 11.00 a.m. (D.S.T.). Sunday School will re-open this Sunday, May 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Snarr, Harold and Carol, of Hoard's Station, were Sunday supper guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. Lindsay Finch, her husband and boys.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends, relatives and neighbours; also Dr. Cornett for their many acts of kindness and consoling words during our recent sad bereavement.

21-1 Clayton Tucker and family

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone who remembered me with cards, treats and personal calls while a patient in the Belleville General Hospital. A special thanks to Dr. Cornett for his care and daily calls. I would also like to thank St. Paul's Choir, Mrs. McCabe and others for their gifts in remembrance of my 81st birthday anniversary.

21-1 Sidney Mason

Holloway

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Samuel Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrison, of Wallbridge; Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Evans and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Elliott.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Sam Townsend and family in the sudden passing of a loving son and brother, Mr. Clinton Townsend, who had had spent most of his life in this community until just a few years ago when he moved to Belleville to reside.

Master Ralph Townsend spent the week-end at Moira, the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. George Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Keft and family have moved to Belleville to reside. We wish them happiness in their new home.

Miss Ruth McMullen is spending a few days in Guelph as a delegate to the Junior Farmer and Institute Convention this week.

Raymond and Paul Emerson spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerson at Moira.

The Young People's Union sponsored the Burnbrae play last Wednesday evening with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Townsend and boys and Mrs. Herb Townsend spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrison, at Wallbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McMullen and Miss Lois McMullen were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bray, of Harold, on Sunday.

West Huntingdon

United Church
W.M.S. Meeting

The April meeting of West Huntingdon W.M.S. was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dan Cooke. Mrs. William Grant read the Scripture Lesson and the minutes of the last meeting were read. Roll call was answered by the word "Risen." Mrs. Ambrose Wright and Miss Lois Cooke thanked the members for fruit and cards when they were sick.

It was decided to send a gift to Margaret Sills. The members also agreed to invite the Executive of the Belleville Presbyterian for their September meeting. The Treasurer was authorized to pay \$20.00 for the Parsonage Fund. Mrs. William Grant gave the report of the Presbyterian Rally held recently.

Miss Lois Cooke contributed a solo, "Thirty Pieces of Silver." Mrs. Ambrose Wright, Mrs. Howard Cooke, Mrs. Dan Cooke, Mrs. Ted Pollock, Mrs. Elmer Post and Mrs. John Moorcroft each gave reports on Korean relief work. It was decided to send cards to a number who are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Searles attended the Foxboro Community Club meeting on Wednesday evening. Mr. Searles contributed a reading.

Mr. Hank Vaness has returned home from the Belleville General Hospital. Mr. Vaness suffered an eye injury a couple of weeks ago while assisting Mr. Vincent Farrell repairing his tractor.

Mr. H. R. Farrow was a dinner guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Searles attended the Flood — Elliott wedding at Frankford Saturday afternoon.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Searles and Bobby were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickens and daughter, of Belleville; Mr. Robert Stapley and Robert, of Frankford; Mrs. A. Cleveland and daughter, of Stirling; Mr. and Mrs. Don Love and son, of Madoc; Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Welsh, Belleville; Mrs. Ernest Wilson, Murney and Vernon Stapley, of Holloway.

Miss Sarah Wilson spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Searles. Messrs. Lorne Hagerman, Goldie

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With the designation of National Posture Week from May 1st to May 7th, the Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College is seeking the co-operation of colleges, schools and educators across the nation to emphasize the reasons and requisites for the individual's proper stance which plays such an important part in the health and vitality of everyone.

It is pointed out by the college staff that much can be accomplished through the assistance of instructors

who have found from experience that good posture is productive of greater attention, keener concentration and, consequently, more successful results by their students. In a large public school recently, a survey was conducted among a selected group of 100 students who had a perfect attendance score and another 100 who were rather delinquent. It was found that 80% of the former had good to excellent posture while 65% of those who were frequently absent from class, had poor or bad posture. Not one of the latter group was listed in the excellent classification. It is felt that posture has a direct relationship to alertness

and ambition.

Teachers, doctors and nurses consistently stress the importance of a good bearing for better health, to say nothing of appearance. The college notes that the co-operation of parents is important in this respect and recommends that they set an example for their children by adopting the principles that will be emulated by the youngsters, especially those of pre-school age.

It is suggested that attention be given to posture while walking, sitting and even sleeping to develop it to the point at which it becomes a normal habit. Rounding the shoulders or permitting abdominal muscles to sag can bring about fatigue and muscle strain. Walk correctly, without "toeing in", keep head erect, chin in and hold back straight for good breathing. Sleep with thin pillows and firm mattresses on a bed that is flat.

Concentrate for one week and the results will surprise you. The Canadian Memorial Chiropractic College says most everyone will find it easy to develop good posture habits with resultant better appearance, greater vitality and a sense of general well-being.

WHAT OTHERS SAY!

SPENDING FOR A LOSS

(The Tweed News)

The Canadian National Railway's report for the year ended December 31st, 1953, shows a very slight profit and Donald Gordon, president, predicts a loss for 1954.

At the same time Mr. Gordon has persuaded a committee of the House of Commons to recommend the expenditure of \$20 million for a hotel to build on top of the railway station at Montreal.

Mr. Gordon does not predict that the hotel would pay more than three per cent on the \$20 million of capitalization.

This hotel will be slightly larger than the Royal York Hotel in Toronto which, if memory serves, cost something like \$20 million in 1928. Anything in the building line that cost \$20 million in 1928 probably will cost \$60

million in 1956.

The C.N.R., which is not a profitable institution and has only one shareholder — the Canadian taxpayer — has produced a most elaborate report full of pretty pictures and figures that aren't pretty. The "figures" alluded to, are not cheese-cake. The Canadian Pacific, which is a railway that must show a profit or become unpopular with its shareholders at home and abroad, has produced a report full of factual information. It has managed to do it in a modest looking pamphlet, without undue enrichment of engravers, printers and commercial artists.

EARLY START PAYS

(Farmer's Advocate)

In early spring, farmers are often obliged to make the decision whether to seed a field or wait. As a rule, the early seedings are best and the rest of the farm work then goes on according to schedule. Getting the early start and keeping on schedule is a system that pays off.

THEY SHOULD WORK FOR IT

(Napanee Express)

We did not raise our voice in protest when the members of the House of Commons voted to indemnify themselves \$10,000 per year, \$2,000 of it tax free. We felt that the sum would prove attractive enough to entice good men to enter politics.

But, they should work for their money.

Parliament adjourned for the Easter vacation on Wednesday, April 14, at 5:19 o'clock in the afternoon. There were about 21 members present in the house. Session on the last day lasted for two hours and 49 minutes.

Adjournment was until Monday, April 26th, giving the members an Easter Vacation longer than that received by the school teachers.

We suggest that \$10,000 was sufficient money to attract good men for a half-year's work and that with such an income they would be able to maintain domiciles at home and in Ottawa. All this still holds true, but there are not many \$10,000 a year men who can pick up and leave their work at will.

The members of parliament are making somewhere around \$60 a day for attending parliament as they feel inclined. When a man is hired at this rate he should be on the job.

Mrs. Harold Reid Hostess To The Ivanhoe W.M.S.

Ivanhoe W.M.S. met on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Harold Reid. The President opened the meeting with a poem: "He Has Risen." Hymn 112 was sung.

A report on supply work was given by the Secretary, Mrs. Elymer Rollins. A reading, "The Community — Whose Business" was given by Mrs. Earl Benson. Roll call showed 11 members in attendance.

Mrs. Percy Cooney was in charge of the meeting. The programme in the Missionary Monthly was used, "Relief For Korea." Those taking part were Mrs. Keith Bray, Mrs. Percy Cooney, Mrs. Don Reid and Mrs. Sam Twiddy. Prayer was given by Miss Doris Twiddy. A duet was given by Mrs. George Wood and Mrs. Keith Bray on accordion and piano. The thank-offering was taken, amounting to \$6.35. A report from the Presbyterian was given by Mrs. Elymer Rollins.

The meeting closed with the benediction. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Ormande Butler Appointed Q.C.

Appointment of Mr. E. Ormande Butler, of Belleville, as a Queen's Counsel was announced Saturday by Hon. Dana Porter, Attorney General for Ontario. The Belleville lawyer was included in a small list of Ontario solicitors so honoured.

Mr. Butler is a native son of Belleville and was born there in 1907, son of the late Magistrate E. J. Butler, Q.C., and Mrs. Butler.

CONSERVATION NEWS!

Special Training Course In Fire Fighting

Eight members of the Tweed District Staff attended a two-day training course in the fighting at the Northumberland County Forest, April 7th and 8th, directed by George McAdam, Forest Protection Supervisor at Geraldton. In addition to Lands and Forests personnel and municipal officials, it was gratifying to have Hydro foremen from Cloyne, Bannockburn, Tweed and several other points taking part and discussing fire protection plans.

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say Districts with particular reference to County Forests and plantations were given special attention.

Protect Pickerel During Spawning Period

Pickerel were beginning to move into spawning grounds around Hay Bay the week ending April 10th, and there is every indication that spawn-laden fish would be swarming up the Trent, Moira and Salmon Rivers within the next few days.

To give the pickerel the protection they need during the critical short spawning period, will again require the whole-hearted efforts of both sportsmen and Fish and Wildlife Officials. Many of the larger fish, which are so vulnerable at the present time are carrying as many as 100,000 eggs and even with the best of protection only a relatively small number will evidently reach maturity as a result of poor fertilization, predators and sometimes pollution.

There will again be the temptation to pick up a fish or two if no one's looking, particularly when they're so easy to catch, but there are a couple of good reasons to stop and think first. One is that the re-inforced staff of Conservation Officers who spend their nights patrolling spawning

areas, figure many of the poachers are habitual offenders and who can expect little mercy if apprehended. Indications are too that magistrates take a dim view of these recurring cases, and will exact sufficient penalties in addition to loss of equipment and spoils.

The other reason is more important and one that should appeal to everyone who likes to fish and hunt and believes in Conservation in all its different objectives. The fish and game laws were not enacted for the purpose of catching offenders and bringing them up in court. The purpose was to give protection to fish and wildlife species when they need protection and deserve it. In doing just that, along with intelligent management there can always be good fishing and hunting and plenty for all during the legal open season.

Attend Scaling Course

A refresher course for senior Department of Lands and Forests Scaling Staff was held at Sault Ste. Marie on April 6th, 7th and 8th. Representatives attended from most districts across the Province, including J. K. K. Legris, Supervisor of Scaling at Tweed, and Deputy T. Davis, from Plevna.

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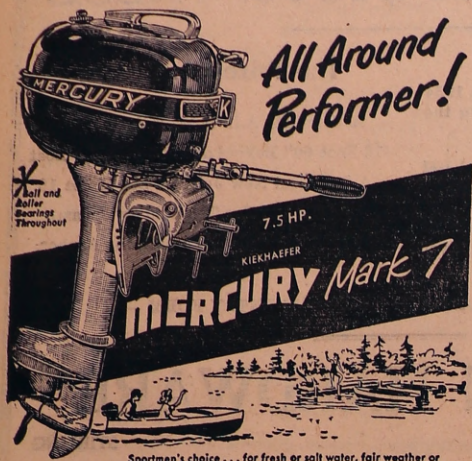
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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

WEED OF THE WEEK YELLOW ROCKET OR WINTER CRESS

Yellow Rocket or Winter Cress is becoming too well known to a large number of Ontario farmers, the Crops Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture reports, but adds that a comparatively brief acquaintance is usually sufficient to enable the farmer to distinguish Yellow Rocket from Common Mustard.

Actually there are 2 points of similarity — the yellow color of the flower and the fact that both plants produce large quantities of seed.

By way of description, a brief comparison is all that is necessary.

Yellow Rocket is perennial; Mustard is annual.

Yellow Rocket flowers in May; Mustard in June.

Yellow Rocket leaves are dark green, smooth, shiny, oval and many lobed; Mustard leaves are longer, oblong, dull colour, stem hairy.

Much of the spread of Yellow Rocket is due to its presence as an impurity in clover seeds. Under the Seeds Act it is classed as secondary noxious, and the tolerance for this class of seeds is ten per ounce in No. 1 seed. If you are one of those careful farmers who always look at the certificate of the seed you buy, you may find a few seeds of Yellow Rocket masquerading under the name of Winter Cress.

Control of Yellow Rocket lies in recognizing and pulling the few plants

which may occur in first year meadows or newly sown pastures. This should not be a very big job since Yellow Rocket only becomes a real problem if permitted to go to seed for a few years. Unfortunately, it ripens seed too early to be controlled by cutting hay. In pastures it can be clipped early enough to stop it seeding.

Yellow Rocket is susceptible to 2,4-D at rates of 6-8 ozs. of acid per acre. This fact is not very helpful since it usually shows up in meadows and pastures, and that amount of 2,4-D would cause serious damage to clovers unprotected by any cover crop. However, the 2,4-D method is highly successful if the plant has escaped to ditches, roadsides or other non-crop areas.

CONTROL OF WIREWORMS

Wireworms may be found in all soil types in all parts of Ontario. Those which are found in damp, heavy soils are likely to be injurious for two or three years in land ploughed from sod. In the light, sandy soils of southern areas wireworms tend to increase or to maintain their numbers under cultivation. Most species have along life cycle, usually covering three to five years.

Potatoes should not be planted in soil infested with wireworms. They should not be planted on damp, heavy land for at least three years after it has been broken from old sod, unless it is known to be free from wire-

worms. Applications of heptachlor, aldrin, and chlordane at recommended rates will give effective control of wireworms, and will not cause off-flavour in the potatoes.

Additional information on wireworm control, including the measures needed for control in cabbage, cauliflower, and tomatoes, is supplied in Circular 168, just issued in revised form by the Ontario Agricultural College. It is available now at the office of your agricultural representative.

CORN PLANTINGS

Corn plantings are increasing in all corn-growing areas of Ontario, reveals G. E. Jones, Department of Field Husbandry, Ontario Agricultural College. For this season's plantings there are many excellent new varieties which are high yielding and early maturing, and most of these can be supplied by the commercial corn companies.

An acre of corn supplies two to three times as much food value as an acre of oats or barley, and thus corn is a valuable crop in areas in which it can be grown successfully. It is a "heavy feeder," and is very responsive to fertilizer applications.

It is always a good plan to have soil tested, and this is especially true with land on which corn is to be grown.

Soils submitted now for testing to the Soils Department, O. A. C., Guelph, can be tested in time for spring plantings, and fertilizer recommendations made. The proper boxes and instructions for taking soil tests are obtainable from the Soils Department, O. A. C., or from the office of your agricultural representative.

HISTORY OF BUTTER

(This is the second of a series of articles on the history of butter.)

Dairymen today, aided by breeding programs and modern methods of feeding and milking, get more milk, cream and butter from one cow than Canada's early settlers got from a whole herd.

Just the other day, in Toronto, a breeder was awarded a certificate for one of his cows that had broken a world record by producing more than 17,000 pounds of milk in 305 days. That is a lot of milk.

Just to get an idea of the changes that have come about over the years, some of the officials of the Ontario Cream Producers' Marketing Board dug into a book entitled, "The Dairy Industry of Canada," prepared by J. A. Ruddick, W. M. Drummond, R. E. English, J. E. Lattimer and H. A. Innis, to find out what things were like in the days of Evangeline.

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"According to a document dated about 1868 the cows were small, the calves milked them and the people were not able to make butter for themselves."

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Even though things were on the up-grade from then on, the book notes that Simcoe in 1793 encouraged imports of cattle to make Upper Canada self-sufficient, but until the war of 1812 Canadians were still importing butter and cheese from the United States.

SPRING APPLICATION OF NITROGEN INCREASES HAY YIELDS

The application of a nitrogen fertilizer in the spring to increase hay yields shows profitable returns on some soils of northeastern Nova Scotia.

In experiments at Nappan Experimental Station, plots that received ammonium nitrate at the rate of 45 pounds per acre on the timothy crop of a three-year rotation of oats, clover, timothy, showed increases in yield;

the amount of increase being dependent on previous fertility treatments. Areas that had received phosphate and potash fertilizer on the oat crop, and nitrogen in the early spring on the timothy crop, showed a yield increase of 40 per cent. The average increase of all plots that received this small application of nitrogen over those not so treated was three-quarters of a ton of hay per acre.

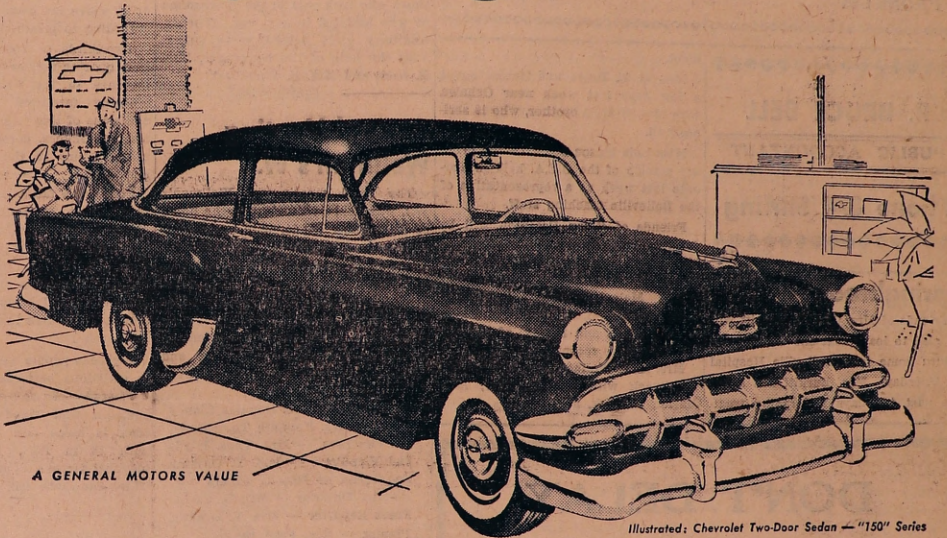
Hence an investment of \$2.00 per acre for nitrogen fertilizer gave an increased return of \$7.50 from the hay crop or a profit of approximately \$5.50 per acre. L. B. MacLeod, research officer at the Station points out yield increases of this nature should not be expected unless the soil is properly managed and is supplied with the necessary fertility treatments during the rotation.

Deseronto Principal Resigns Post

Resignation of Principal E. E. Maybee of Deseronto High School was recently accepted by the Board of Education.

The resignation is to take effect at the end of the school year. Mr. Maybee will take up duties next year at Fort Frances, Ont. He had been in Deseronto for the past seven years.

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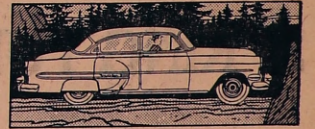
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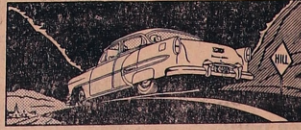
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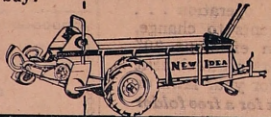
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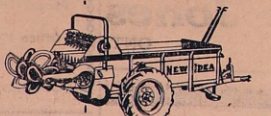
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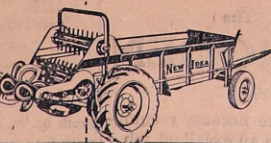
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Friends of Mrs. Clayton Burkitt will be glad to learn that she was able to return home from Belleville Hospital on Tuesday. Mrs. Burkitt has spent the past ten days undergoing treat-

ment.

Mrs. H. E. Beare and Robert spent a few days last week near Oshawa with Mrs. Beare's brother, who is seriously ill.

Miss Lois Mason attended the primary session of the O.E.A. held in Toronto last week as a representative of the Belleville teaching staff.

Friends of Glenn Peterson will be sorry to learn that he is confined to his home suffering with rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Malcolm Mason, Lynn and Miss Lois Mason, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Neilson and family, of Mimico, for a few days recently.

Mrs. L. B. Wallace spent a few days last week with her daughter, Miss Marion Reddick, at Toronto.

St. John's W.A. Well Attended

The regular meeting of the Senior Branch of St. John's W.A. was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, April 28th at 2.30 p.m. Visitors were present from St. Margaret, Belleville; St. Mark's, Bonarlaw; St. Thomas, Rawdon; Trinity, Frankford; Madoc, Roslin and River Valley.

Mrs. E. Kent, Diocese Dorcas Secretary, opened the meeting with the National Anthem. Rev. H. C. Secker welcomed the ladies as Rector, and also spoke on behalf of Mrs. Secker, who due to illness was unable to give the address of welcome. Mrs. E. Kent welcomed the ladies on behalf of St. John's W.A. Mrs. Dave Wellman, President of Bonarlaw W.A., replied to the address of welcome.

Greetings were given by Mrs. W. H. V. Walker, from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church W.M.S.; Mrs. Jack Bush, River Valley W.M.S.; Mrs. R. R. Bonesteel, Rawdon W.M.S.; Mrs. Babcock, St. Margaret on the Hill, Belleville; Mrs. Sirk, Roslin; Mrs. L. Tanner, St. Thomas; Mrs. Dench, Frankford; and Mrs. M. Barton, Madoc.

Mrs. E. Kent introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. G. F. Wright, of Belleville, who gave a very interesting talk on her trip to England.

The following programme was presented: solo, by Mrs. Burton Woodbeck, accompanied by her daughter Barbara; piano solo, by Mrs. S. R. Boyce; duet, by Marjorie McCarton and Barbara Woodbeck, accompanied by Mrs. Boyce.

Mrs. Hiram Rodgers thanked all those who took part in the programme or who assisted in any way. The Jr. Auxiliary girls helped serve lunch, with the help of the conveners, Mrs. E. Kent and Mrs. B. Woodbeck.

Annual Meeting Wellman's W.I.

The April meeting of Wellman's W.I. was held on the 21st at the home of Mrs. Thos. Hinds, with a good attendance. The roll call, "What does house cleaning mean to me," was well responded to.

This being the annual meeting, the conveners of the standing committees gave their reports. Mrs. Douglas Clancy was appointed chair lady and the following slate of officers were elected for the coming year:

Hon. Pres. — Mrs. Douglas Clancy
Pres. — Mrs. Kenneth Tompkins
1st Vice-Pres. — Mrs. Thos. Hinds
2nd Vice-Pres. — Mrs. V. Graham
Sec.-Treas. — Mrs. D. Clancy
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Assistant — Mrs. George Watson
Sick Visiting Committee — Mrs. Victor Graham

Directors — Mrs. Arthur Beckett, Mrs. Chas. Dunham, Mrs. Harry Fanning.

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Citizenship and Education — Mrs. William Matthews

Home Economics and Health — Mrs. Jim Chumbley

Historical Research and Current Events — Mrs. John Carlisle

Community Activities and Public Relations — Mrs. George Watson

Nominating Committee — Mrs. Jim Chumbley, Mrs. Chas. Dunham and Mrs. John Carlisle

Auditors — Mrs. Fred Beckett and Mrs. Jack Dunham.

The President thanked the members for their splendid co-operation in the past year.

The meeting closed with the Creed and the Queen. Refreshments were served by the hostess and committee in charge.

Belleville Holstein Big Lifetime Producer

Lida Colantha Supreme, a purebred Holstein owned by T. Nightingale & Son, Belleville, has qualified for a Blue Seal Certificate of Longtime Production. This is presented by the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada in recognition of her outstanding lifetime record. In 9 lactations on official Record of Performance test, Lida produced 131,057 lbs. milk containing 4,085 lbs. fat. She was milked twice daily throughout her lifetime.

Campbellford Man Buys Plant

The plant of Timber Structures of Canada Ltd., Peterborough, has been purchased by David E. Ness, of Campbellford, and associates. Future plans for the new company, which will be known as Timber Structures, will include the production of laminated rafters, arches and beams and other structural features of building timbers.

Fatalities Show Increase In First Quarter of Year

Motor vehicle fatalities during the month of March totalled 84 in Ontario, as compared with 56 in March of 1953, while the three month's total was 203 or 31 above the same period last year, according to preliminary figures.

Two-thirds of the increase in the first quarter was accounted for by an increase in the number of railway crossing fatalities. During March, collisions of this type killed 12 drivers and passengers, compared with three such victims in the same month of last year.

Pedestrian fatalities also showed an increase at 26 compared with 23 in March 1953. There was a decrease in the number of child pedestrian victims from 11 to seven. However, the number of pedestrians of 60 years of age and over killed by motor vehicles, increased from five in March 1953 to 11 in March 1954.

Eighteen people were fatally injured in collisions between motor vehicles, an increase of two over last year. Non-collision and fixed-object accidents took 17 lives this March compared with 16 in 1953. There were no bicyclist victims during March of 1953. This year there was one.

Local and Personal

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that she has recovered from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore, of Perth, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bird, Trenton, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Spafford, of Sidney, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Evelyn Finkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kirkey and Miss Greta Nicolson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead are spending a few days in Toronto this week. While in the city Mr. Whitehead will attend the sessions of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons.

Mrs. W. T. Elliott left today (Thursday) for Toronto, from where she will accompany the Grand Chapter Officers of the Order of the Eastern Star, Province of Ontario, on a trip to Washington, D.C. While there the party will attend the sessions of the mid-triennial assembly of the General Grand Chapter, O.E.S.

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Had Important Message

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